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## CONTRACT LET FOR RESERVOIR WORK

On account of Monday, October 12, being Columbus day, the regular meeting of the City Council was held Tuesday evening, October 13.

Bids were received and contracts let for the concrete work on the new reservoir. The Cement Gun and Construction Company was the lowest bidder on the gunite work, with a bid of $3,025, and E. G. Hart was the lowest bidder on the pouring of concrete, his bid being $8.45 per cubic yard. These two contractors being the lowest bidders, they were awarded the contracts.

A communication was received from the Board of Fire Commissioners, recommending that a permit be given to B. W. Haubrich to erect and operate a service and gasoline station on the corner of Mission road and Castle street, in the newly annexed territory. The request was referred to the building committee and fire commissioners for consideration.

Permission was requested by the Pacific Gas and Electric Company to set a 35-foot pole on the east side of Laussane street, 70 feet south of the northerly end, to supply service to the municipal pumping plant, as per blue prints attached. Permission was granted.

San Mateo Chapter No. 16, Disabled Veterans of the World War of San Mateo county, asked permission to sell little blue flowers in Daly City. The funds derived from this sale will be used in helping out the unfortunate veterans of San Mateo county. The Council granted the request of the veterans.

An ordinance regulating the height of fences and hedges was introduced.

An ordinance changing the names of certain streets in the Colma section was read by title.

The monthly library and health officer reports were read and ordered filed.

The board also passed a resolution establishing the wage scale for public work in Daly City. The scale follows:

Common laborer, $5.00; Skilled laborer, $6.00; Tractor driver, $8.00; Carpenter, $9.00; Truck driver, $6.00 to $8.50; Power shovel or crane operator, $10.00; Oiler, $6.00; Pitman, $5.00; Grader operator, $6.00; Roller operator, $9.00 to $10; Driller, $6.00; Subgrade finisher operator, $6.00; Teamster, $6.00; Asphalt plant engineer, $10.00; Asphalt plant dryerman, $7.00; Asphalt mechanical finisher operator, $8.00; Concrete pavement mixer operator, $10.00; Concrete pavement finisher, $7.00; Concrete pavement mechanical finisher operator, $8.00; Trenching machine operator, $9.00; Mechanical troubleshooter, $8.00; Electrical worker, $10.00; Plumbers, $10.00; Sheet metal workers, $10.00; Roofers, $9.00; Painters, $9.00; Lathers, $10.00; Brick layers, $11.00; Brick layer helpers, $9.00; Engineer hoisting portable quarries tractors, over 50 horsepower, $9.00; Engineers asphalt plants rollers, mixers, stone derricks, $10.00; Engineers bridges and structural piledrivers, derricks, barges, cableways, $11.00; Firemen and apprentices, $7.00; Pile drivers and wharf builders, $9.00; Plasterer, $12.00; Plasterers' hod carriers, $10.00. Any classification omitted here, not less than $5.00.

### MRS. HENDRIKSEN PASSES ON AFTER PROLONGED ILLNESS

Last Wednesday, Mrs. Inger Hendriksen, a native of Norway, beloved wife of Albert H. Hendriksen, of Willits street, passed away after a prolonged illness, at the age of 63 years. Mrs. Hendriksen was the mother of Violet, Helen, Albert and Harold Hendriksen, Mrs. Hulda Reaveley, Mrs. Betty Tornberg, and Mrs. Charlotte Heath. Besides her children and husband she leaves a sister, Mrs. H. Hendriksen, to mourn her passing on.

Mr. and Mrs. Hendiksen made their home in Daly City for many years. Funeral services took place Thursday at 2 P. M., from Weiboldt's funeral parlor, 835 Valencia street. Interment was in Olivet Memorial Park.

### LA FIESTA CLUB ENTERTAINED

Last Friday evening the Misses Marge and Tessie O'Connor entertained the members of La Fiesta Club at their home. After the regular business meeting games were enjoyed, after which the guests adjourned to the dining room, where dainty refreshments were served. The dining room was artistically decorated in keeping with the Hallowe'en spirit. In the center of the table was a pumpkin with a light inside of it, and at each one's place was a small decorated candy pumpkin. The color scheme in the dining room was carried out in black and orange. Those having a most enjoyable evening were: Mesdames Christine Hume, Lorraine Wall and Annette Drury; Misses Elsie Fahy, Edna Boyle, Nonie Healey, Collista Dalton, Louise Clemens, Eleanor Boyle, Audrey Diamond, Tessie and Marge O'Connor.

## JEFFERSON UNION HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

The monthly meeting of the Jefferson Union High School Board of Education was held on last Tuesday evening in the auditorium of the school. President Bentley presided and all the other members of the board were present.

The monthly report of the principal showed an enrollment of 386 pupils in the day school, which is an increase of 135, or 57 per cent over what it was four years ago, when Mr. Ferguson came to Jefferson as principal of the school.

The trustees took under advisement the matter of installing an additional booster pump to supply water for the increased area of the lawn. Since the installation of the Johnston turbine pump last spring, the well has produced water in an ever increasing quantity. Formerly, with the old deep well pump the lawn sprinklers would have to be stopped in order to allow the pump to catch up. Now the same number of sprinklers makes no impression on the amout of water produced from the well. The only limitation now is on account of the booster pump which forces the water through the pressure tank and which keeps up the pressure so as to carry the water to the building and all parts of the grounds. At present this part of the equipment is working to its fullest capacity, but is unable to furnish all the water needed for the grounds. So it was decided to refer to the building and grounds committee the matter of installing an additional booste pump in order to remedy this shortage.

The trustees commented on the greatly improved appearance of the grounds due to the increased planting of lawn on the outfield of the baseball diamond.

Principal James Ferguson reported a most healthy condition in student finances, as shown by the following statement of balances in the treasury: Boys' athletics, $43.50; Girls' athletics, $10.00; Board, $70.76; C. S. F., $48.26; Dramatics, 73.47; Glee Club, $6.60; Girls' League, $1.50; Juniors, $94.99; Little Chaps, $3.70; Press Club, $1.90; Savings, $954.28; Seniors, $128.85; Sophomores, $3.85; Totem Pole, $119.85; Student Body, $261.96; School Store, $1,470.42.

Report was also made to the board of the purchase of a new moving picture machine, and paid for out of the school funds by the students' executive committee. This machine will be used not only for entertainments but also in class instruction. It has already been used in class work by Miss Potter, Mr. Gray, Mr. Quirmbach and Mr. Biaggini, and is a most valuable addition to the equipment in their several laboratories. The range of available films to be used in this machine is much greater than in the case of the larger machines, and the cost is much less.

A special assembly was called on Thursday at 1 o'clock to enable the student body to hear a negro quintet in a program of spirituals. The group is under the leadership of J. E. Blanton, A. M., principal of the Voorhees Normal and Industrial School in Denmark, South Carolina. Mr. Blanton spoke briefly on the educational problem of his people. The American History classes, as well as the group in American Problems were deeply interested in the program.

### GRAND ARCH DRUIDESS VISITS HILLCREST CIRCLE

Hillcrest Circle No. 143, U. A. O. D., entertained Grand Arch Druidess Sister May Lane, last Monday evening, October 12, in the Masonic Hall. Mrs. Lane came to pay her official visit. Several grand and past grand officers ccompanied her. Grand Noble Arch Ralph Starke also honored the Circle by his presence.

During the meeting the degree work was exemplified by the Circle's perfect team. Several new candidates were initiated. Hillcrest Circle was wished continued success by the many visitors.

After the meeting the guests and members adjourned to the banquet hall, where they were served a delicous supper. The committee deserved much credit for their work, the decorations in both halls being beautifully carried out in red, white and blue, in celebration of Columbus day.

### HAYES TO BE GUEST OF GOLDEN GATE COUNCIL

On Thursday evening, October 22, "Jack" Hayes, Past Grand Knight, will be the guest of honor at a meeting of Golden Gate Council, No. 2507, Knights of Columbus. "Jack," who is also Commander of the Disabled American Veterans, will be given a rousing welcome. A most entertaining program has been arranged and preparations made to entertain a large crowd of visiting Knights. The pleasant affair will be held at the K. C. Hall, Eighteenth avenue and Geary street, San Francisco.

## TOPNOTCHERS by KET

### "King Johnny I"

John Jeffries of GREENVILLE, KY., WON the NATIONAL MARBLE CHAMPIONSHIP held in OCEAN CITY, NEW JERSEY.

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## TANFORAN DRAWS CHICAGO ENTRIES

Horsemen racing at Chicago are preparing for the long trek to Tanforan, which opens Friday, November 6th. While a few will ship early, the bulk of them will leave on a special train which will pull out Sunday morning, November 1, from the Hawthorne siding and run through over the Illinois Central to Omaha, the Union Pacific to Ogden, and the Southern Pacific to San Bruno. The train will carry a Pullman and diner for the owners, trainers and jockeys, and an arrangement has been made to run through Stockton, skirting the bay to avoid ferrying it. The train will run on passenger time.

One of the most pretentious stables shipping is that of Clarence Davison, who is bringing twenty-one horses, among them some of the sterling performers of the middle west. They include Andromeda, Bag Smasher, Hot Shot, Benton, Tanist, Annan, No More, Cesare, Cheers, Dark Ayr, Jack Alexander, Barrido, Dorothy Mac, Infinity, Shasta Broom, Old Mark, Coquina and Brownie Smile.

Peter B. Kyne is bringing eight, several of them recent winners. They include Bonfield, Kamalii, Rahway, Occurrence, Diamond Head, Saboyan, Call to Arms and Celtic Queen.

Syufy and Noyes are sending eleven, including the string of C. H. Cleary. They are Illium, Ironsides, Nusakan, Prickly Heat, Mole Hill, Houseboy, Morpheus, Tap Dance, Some Noyes, Lady Noyes and Blue Canopy.

La Brea Stable lost Infinity and Shasta Broom by the claiming route, but still has some useful stuff, including Listo, Seguro, Padrone, Serra and Theorist Jane.

Miss Marion Hollins is coming back with Nevada Queen, Del Wells, Our Billy, Del Fennell, Del Clifton and Dorket. Nevada Queen is in training again after a let up. Manager Tichenor has not lost faith in her.

The Meadowbrook and Pantages stable will leave in the next week for Ventura, where Alexander Pantages and others are turned out. The latter, which starred at Tanforan in the spring, went wrong but it is hoped to bring him back to his brilliant form again. Those shipping from Chicago are Sharp Thoughts, Red Diamond, Witeon, all winners at Chicago; Meadow King, Miss Corrinne and Mt. Rubideaux.

The Northway Stable will ship direct to the farm at San Jose and van over what it has to race. This has been the plan at other meetings. The star of the stable, Plucky Play, conqueror of Sun Beau in the Hawthorne Handicap, and winner of the Stars and Stripes at Arlington Park, is still going sound and strong. Others in the lot are Eskimo, Sundot, Flag Time, Chatter On, Johnnie Gal, Golden State, Chatter Queen, Gallant Sir, Whizz James, and Lady Va Va.

L. T. Whitehall is coming with Euonymous, Plate Real, Shasta Star, Shasta Pear, Dacito, Fortunes Favorite, Sam Gilmore and Macon.

Ray Holland is planning to bring one of the most useful strings in the middle west. It includes Uluniu, Guide Right, Gold Mint, Wise Lee, Kukui, Chianti, Jaz Age, Cog Air, Fair Argument and His Way.

E. F. Ogden is bringing a useful stable of platers including Black Fool, Tarnish, Volt Motor and others.

S. Buckland has Peggy J., Laddie, Burnam and Miss Joan. He is also bringing M. Lewis, considered the best apprentice in the West at this time.

Bruce Johnson has Lamp Black, good again, and he will hold his own with the best at Tanforan. He also has Jay Walker, Thrace and Ante Bellum.

F. E. Fitzgerald has six, Raymond White sir, and J. D. Mikel fourteen.

John McKee, who is in the market for more horses, is bringing Jim Dandy and Naishapur. He has high hopes of bringing the latter to the post at Tanforan.

Others already booked to ship are M. Walsh, F. F. Miller, Frank Sullivan, W. A. Baumgartner, C. Francis, H. C. McConnell and J. Doctor.

## EAGLES DEFEAT PRECITA NATIVES

The Daly City Eagles' baseball team defeated the Precita Natives last Sunday on the Balboa Park diamond by the score of 14 to 1. The Daly City boys celebrated the receipt of their new uniforms by driving two pitchers out of the box in quick time. With two men out in the first inning, the Daly City boys drove across three runs on hits by Bolger, Milano and Ford. Again in the fourth inning the entire batting order came up to drive in five more runs. Slug Nelson, the Eagles' left fielder, twisted his foot in the midst of this rally and was replaced by Pepper Limas, who later featured with a flying catch to end the game.

Nick Dorenzo turned in a good game at second base, replacing Bolger, who suffered a finger injury. Ford continued to pitch great ball. Smith also caught a very snappy game.

This coming Sunday the Daly City Eagles will travel to San Mateo, where the will play the Onorata Market team on San Mateo's city park diamond, at 2 P. M.

| Precita N. S. G. W. | AB. | R. | H. |
|---|---|---|---|
| P. Klung, lf | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| T. Klung, 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| Bob, 2b | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Earle, 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Sye, ss | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Howard, cf-p | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Marshall, rf | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| McNitt, c | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| Chris, p | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| Willie, cf | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | 33 | 1 | 5 |

| Daly City Eagles | AB. | R. | H. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Smith, c | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| Nelson, lf | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| Bolger, 2b | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| Milano, 3b | 5 | 3 | 2 |
| Ford, p | 4 | 2 | 2 |
| Reardon, cf | 5 | 1 | 1 |
| Mendelson, rf | 5 | 1 | 1 |
| White, 1b | 5 | 2 | 2 |
| Milo, ss | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| Dorenzo, 2b | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Limas, lf | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Total | 42 | 14 | 15 |

## HALLOWE'EN PARTY FOR C. E. SOCIETY

The Young People of Grace Presbyterian church will hold a Hallowe'en party on Thursday evening, October 29, in the church parlors. Committees have been chosen as follows: Decoration, Roelof Pauw, Blodwin Hart and Fay Barnes; Entertainment, Ruth Smith, Evelyn Clark, Norman Peterson and Frieda Harder; Refreshments, Blodwin Hart, Ruth Smith and Evelyn Clark.

## ABANDON PLAN TO MOVE SURVEYOR

The San Mateo county supervisors, following the suggestion of Will H. Toepke, county architect, have abandoned their plans to move County Surveyor James S. James and other county officials out of the court house. The board has authorized the construction of a temporary building on the court house grounds, in the northwest corner, to house the Social Service Commission. This plan, according to Architect Toepke, will take care of the court house problem for the next two years.

In adopting this plan, the supervisors saved the county about $4,000, as Architect Toepke estimated that it would cost only about $2,000 to erect a temporary building with salvage value, while the repair of the old county jail would cost nearly $6,000. Construction of the building, however, will be subject to the approval of the Redwood City board of trustees.

The City of San Francisco officially requested the board to give a report on the action taken on a request for permission to construct a jail on the Sneath ranch. No report was made by the San Mateo county board.

Salada Beach filed a report with the board against the invasion of hog ranches. After considerable discussion the report was filed.

The board endorsed the plan of the State Supervisors Association to levy and additional one cent gasoline tax to take care of highway construction work.

Complying with the request of Mayor C. A. Buck, the board voted $250 to the Tri-County Grade conference, which organization is working on plans to eliminate grade crossings between San Francisco and San Jose.

### Celebration of Silver Anniversary of Wedding

Last Saturday night it was a wee bit o' Scotland in the Daly City Masonic Hall. The occasion was in celebration of the silver anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Lemon.

Twenty-five years ago the brides-to-be journeyed from Edinburgh, Scotland, to meet their prospective husbands, and were married in Seattle, Washington. The Bennetts came to San Francisco and settled in Daly City five months later, where they have resided ever since and are counted among the most highly respected citizens. They have a son and daughter, Colin and Jean, both graduates of the Jefferson Union high school. Colin, who celebrated on this occasion his twenty-second birthday, is a licensed air-pilot, and is one of the most expert in the west.

Mr. Lemon is Mrs. Bennett's brother. He and Mrs. Lemon have resided in Mare Island for the past six years.

There were over 200 guests present to do honor to the occasion. Scotch Tartans there were representing the clans from the Highlands of Scotland and from the Lowlands. The Caledonian Pipe Band of San Francisco, organized by Mr. Bennett many years ago, was there and played Scotch airs in a way that delighted the hearts of the sons and daughters of old Scotia. And they were braw laddies, those pipers, handsome fellows dressed in their full regalia, kilts and sporns, and plaid, and brogues with silver buckles, and bonnets—the pride and envy of every Scotchman. Jamie Hay was there, too, wearing his handsome kilts and Scotch bonnet with an air of pride that did credit to his Scotch ancestors.

Mrs. Gowland sang several Scotch songs in her usual pleasing manner. Mr. McGregor stirred the hearts of the hosts and guests alike with his most delightful rendering of "Loch Lomond," and he responded generously with encores, being accompanied at the piano by Mr. D. Broom.

Refreshments were served in buffet style at 10 o'clock. A beautiful wedding cake, of gigantic proportions, occupied the center of the table with an airplane cake for Colin in honor of his birthday. There were cakes of every variety, salads, sandwiches, coffee and punch, in such quantities as only Scotch generosity could furnish.

Throughout the program the guests engaged in dancing. The pipe band consisted of William McGregor, Dan McDonald, Dan Brown, Bob Ewen, Bill McAuley, James Dowell, James Hay, Jack McKenzie, Colin Baird, Duncan McDonald, Al Thompson, Mr. McKay, James Wicklow, Mr. Baird, manager, and James Duncan, secretary.

Only one thing was lacking to make the whole evening thoroughly Scotch. Outside, the weather was Californian. It was a "braw bricht moon licht nicht" all right. But to be really Scotch, and especially along the banks of the Clyde, by every token it should have been raining. But even Scotchmen admit that California weather is better than the kind they were accustomed to back home, and were made happier because of it on this occasion..

In the wee sma' hours of the mornin', after each one had received a sprig of heather brought from Scotland, the party broke up with the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" and "They Are Jolly Good Fellows."

The hosts received many beautiful gifts in honor of the occasion.

## GRAMMAR SCHOOL NOTES OF INTEREST

Daly City Post No. 410, American Legion, is offering two medals to each graduating class, one for a boy and one for a girl. The awards are to be based upon courage, honor, service, leadership and scholarship. The winner's name is to be engraved upon the medal. The school authorities, in conjunction with the students, are to select the winners.

Last Wednesday the Woodrow Wilson-Vista Grande P. T. A. gave their annual luncheon to the teachers of Vista Grande and Woodrow Wilson, at the Daly City Methodist church. A number of county P. T. A. officers were present, also Mayor H. H. Smith and his wife. The time being limited, only a few remarks were given by Mayor Smith and Mr. Crane, district superintendent of schools.

The luncheon was a success from every standpoint and greatly enjoyed and appreciated by all.

On October 9 a mixed unlimited volleyball team from Crocker and Woodrow Wilson went into battle with Colma. It was by far the best game of the season. A penalty kick by John Compagno was the outstanding play for the mixed team, while two players from Colma distinguished themselves with two beautiful kicks. The game resulted in a victory of 6 to 1 in favor of Colma.

On Tuesday, October 13, Colma's 100-pound team scored against the Crocker team in a sweeping victory of 15 to 0.

Volleyball teams among the girls of Woodrow Wilson have been organized, and the girls are practicing enthusiastically every day. Soon matches will be held with teams from other schools.

Volleyball courts are being established at Crocker, Woodrow Wilson, and Jefferson schools.

## OLD GLORY POST NOTES

The regular meeting of Old Glory Post No. 2044, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, was held Friday evening of last week in the Masonic Hall. The major portion of the business program was devoted to the nomination and election of officers for the ensuing term. Comrade Walter F. Dorn was unanimously chosen for the office of Commander. It is expected that with the loyal support of his officers and the members of the Post, the new Commander will enjoy a successful term. Comrade Dorn signified his intention of building up the Post and increasing its membership to 300 during his term of office. There are plenty of eligible veterans in the vicinity of Daly City, so all Comrades desiring to boost their recruiting average can easily contact new prospects and induce them to join the organization. The Post is fortified with plenty of blank application cards, and you are cautioned not to be bashful in asking for them. Each member is expected to bring in one new member during the year.

The committee in charge of the whist party to be given Friday evening, October 23, reports that arrangements are being completed to make this one of the biggest events ever sponsored by the Post.

It has been rumored that Comrade Dave Refatti recently completed an I. C. S. course in salesmanship, and is endeavoring to try out his learning upon his many friends. To date, he reports that he has disposed of 75 whist tickets and is still asking the committee to replenish his rapidly decreasing stock of whist tickets. Such enthusiasm and hard work on the part of a Comrade should be an incentive to the rest of the members of the Post to do their share, so let's pull together and sell as many of the tickets as we possibly can. Remember, we have just one more week to put it over.

On Tuesday evening, Comrades Dorn, Allen, Bedford and McHugh visited Joseph P. McQuaid Post in San Francisco, who were holding nomination and election of officers.

Old Glory Auxiliary No. 2044 also held their nomination and election of officers last Friday evening, October 9, followed by the usual "Chow" call for refreshments.

### Church to Have Bazaar

The Ladies' Aid of Grace Presbyterian church set the date of their annual bazaar for Friday, November 13. This bazaar is the climax of the work which the ladies of this church carry on every Wednesday, when they meet to work for the upbuilding of the church.

# ODDS AND ENDS OF WEEK'S NEWS

San Mateo county has a total of $771,005,814 assessed valuation and a tax rate inside incorporated cities of $2.89 as against a rate of $4.04 in San Francisco, it is shown in tabulations released by the state controller's office at Sacramento.

The Eastside Improvement Club will make no recommendation on the proposed construction of a $300,000 mausoleum on Bayshore boulevard until the project comes before the San Mateo city planning commission, it has been announced following a recent meeting of the club.

Officer E. O. "Ole" Trulsen, San Mateo, and Officer Frank Chevalier, Burlingame, both of the county traffic squad, are nursing cuts and bruises as the result of motorcycle spills last Saturday.

San Mateo county has five new lawyers, following examinatons in San Francisco, at which they were admitted to the California bar, in a class of 301 successful applicants. The list includes John Joseph Fahey, Jr., Daly City; Arthur R. Hinton, Burlingame; Robert Weller Scott, South San Francisco; John G. Evans and George Pierre Larrouy, Redwood City.

Three were injured, one seriously, when John Edwards, of Berkeley ran his machine into a rail of the San Mateo bridge Monday as he turned out to pass another machine. All the injured were passengers with Edwards, who was not hurt.

Picked up while hitch hiking to Southern California, an attractive 19-year-old red headed girl was recently lodged in the couty jail at Redwood City while her companion was being held by Burlingame police for investigation. The girl, Mildred Christen, told police she married a sailor in Seattle and was on her way to Long Beach to join him. She said she met Louis Fishburn, 30, Kansas, who was picked up with her, and accepted his offer of protection while hitch hiking south.

The city of San Mateo has begun dressing itself up for the flower festival to be held October 23, 24 and 25 at the Junior College auditorium. Members of the American Legion are handling the good work of decorating and of advertising over the week end so that residents all over the county are waking up these mornings to find evidence of the flower show staring them in the face. In San Mateo city streets have been hung with multi-colored flags and banners.

Gasoline thieves were blamed for a fire which threatened a tractor on Sixth avenue, near Railroad avenue, San Mateo, according to Fire Chief Hugh Morrie. Firemen found the cap removed from the tank of the tractor, property of a street construction company, and gasoline spilled about the ground. Fumes from the gasoline had been ignited by the flame of a danger light used to mark construction work. The blaze was extinguished before damage resulted.

A second driver arrested recently by the State Highway patrol in a war against "wildcat" stage operators is at liberty on $250 bail. The driver, B. L. Spurr, San Francisco, was apprehended by Inspector A. J. Ford, who halted an automobile loaded with passengers bound for Los Angeles. Spurr was charged with violating the State Public Utilities act.

Mrs. Harriet Cook, Baywood, asked the superior court in Redwood City to grant her an interlocutory decree of divorce from Theodore H. Cook. She charges cruelty, asks custody of their son and $250 a month alimony. She also seeks a share of the community property. In another superior court action, Anna Ryan asked a divorce from Matthew B. Ryan on the grounds of desertion. She asks custody of their three children.

Appointment of a campaign manager to direct the fight against the Baywood Park rezoning to be voted on at a special election November 17, has been announced by E. C. Louden, chairman of the San Mateo Merchants, Businessmen's and Home Owner's Association. The association, fighting the Baywood Park company's move to push business across El Camino Real, announced that campaign headquarters would be opened on Third avenue.

## FALL FLOWER FESTIVAL TO BE HELD AT SAN MATEO

Chambers of Commerce, garden clubs, women's groups, and other civic and patriotic organizations of the county will participate in the San Mateo County Fall Flower Festival October 23 to 25. The choral section of the Redood City Women's Club, Mrs. Roy A. Hohberger, director, and Mrs. R. B. Pollock, accompanist, will present special numbers during the three-day Festival.

An elaborate and colarful display of Fall flowers, fruits, shrubs and berries will be installed in the gymnasium and grounds of the Junior College in San Mateo, according to the secretary of the Festival, Miss Frances E. Graves. Besides the stately chrysanthemum, in all its varied shapes and shadings, there will be zinnias, dahlias, cyclamen, begonias, carnations and roses. Many novel plants and flowers, of recent development, model flower airplanes, boats and automobiles will be shown.

The flower parade on Saturday afternoon, October 24, in which the school children of the entire county will take part, promises to be an unusually spectacular event, according to Dave McCulloch, chairman of the parade. Lovely floats and tuneful bands will help to make the pageant a memorable one.

Bruce S. Gibson, President of the Festival, said that all the communities of the county are displaying an extradornary interest in the annual flower classic.

## SUPERINTENDENT ABBOTT HONORED BY ASSOCIATION

Pansy Jewett Abbott, county superintendent of schools, was honored at the annual convention of school superintendents when she was unopposed and unanimously elected as the vice-president of the Superintendents' Association of California. This Association is composed of all city, county and district superintendents of the state of California.

Miss Abbott was the only superintendent north of the Tehachapi elected at this convention. Other honors were granted her when she was re-elected for her third term as secretary-treasurer of the County Superintendents' Association of the State.

## BURLINGAME MAN KILLED BY TRAIN

Albert E. Siebert, owner of a Burlingame cafeteria, was killed instantly when a Southern Pacific train struck his auto at the Bayswater evenue crossing Tuesday noon.

Witnesses declared that Siebert ignored the warning signal and drove his car onto the tracks.

The machine was carried 300 feet by the locomotive. Siebert's body was badly mangled. He was 55 years old and is survived by his wife, Mrs. Minnie Siebert.

## NOTHING ORIGINAL IN SPECIAL TAX PLAN

Last Tuesday's issue of the Redwood City Standard contains the following editorial regarding the special road tax:

"There has been so much political propaganda of late mixed with the doings of the board of supervisors that it is hard at times to separate the wheat from the chaff, and know exactly what is what.

"It is made to appear, for instance, that the special road tax of five cents for the improvement of the La Honda road was a new departure in county finance, concocted by the majority faction of the board of supervisors. 'The Big Three,' as their political enemies delight in calling them, are not the originators of the special tax idea. In fact, this method of raising money for expenditures, too great to be taken from the general fund, has been used for most of the major improvements of the county.

"Several years ago a special tax was levied to take care of the roads of the old Fifth district, when the taxable property would have been too heavily burdened had these been constructed by the regular Fifth district tax. The Memorial Park, near Pescadero, was purchased by a special tax, and two special taxes were levied for the improvement of the road to the park. The county relief home, the Community hospital, and the new wing on the hospital were all built by special taxes. The Middlefield road from this city to the county line was built by a special tax. Juniperro Serra boulevard was also built by means of a special tax. In the event that the Ocean Shore road is built, it, too, will be built by a special tax.

"The special tax idea has been invoked a number of times, and each time the county as a whole has benefitted from the work. The improvement of the La Honda road is a matter in which the whole county should be interested. This road is one of the main arteries transversing the county; it is one of the county's most scenic roads. Those members of the board of supervisors who have indulged in obstructionist tactics and have thrown a lot of smoke into the La Honda road issue have done so not with the interests of the county at heart, but rather to make it a political issue in the hopes of furthering their own ends."

## LOS ANGELES EXPERT IN REZONING BATTLE

Howard King, Los Angeles publicity man, has been engaged to handle the campaign against the proposed rezoning of Baywood Park property.

King was retained by the San Mateo Property Owners' Association.

The rezoning question is to be decided at a special election November 17.

## DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK?

By Edson R. Waite, Shawnee, Okla.

That the stores that advertise are prepared to be of real helpfulness to you. Visit them often.

They keep their stocks replenished with seasonable merchandise so you can make easy selections.

To know the true value of quality goods and to derive satisfaction, you must buy from stores that advertise.

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It is estimated that each person in the United States eats on an average 58 oranges, 5 grapefruit and 16 lemons a year.

## SCHOOL LAW IGNORED PARENT BODY SAYS

San Mateo parents want to know why the schools have so long neglected to furnish their children with educational supplies minus cost as provided by law. The Hayward Park Parent-Teachers' Association was first to raise the question and it is being echoed by other Parent-Teacher groups.

An explanation has been asked of the San Mateo elementary school board. The parents contend that the prevaling depression and curtailed earning power make the cost of school supplies an item not easy to bear. They ask information as to what has been done with the money which, under the law, should have been used to free the taxpayers of the expense of furnishing their children with school supplies.

Individual efforts to get information on this point from the San Mateo elementary school board proved fruitless, according to the Hayward Parent-Teachers' Association.

## GAS FUND SPLIT CALLED ILLEGAL

County revenue derived from gas taxation and the registration fee system cannot legally be divided among the five supervisorial districts, according to a decision issued by the attorney general's office last week.

The decision, written by Charles A. Wetmore, Jr., assistant attorney general, declares that the county board of supervisors had no legal right to transfer $15,000 of gas tax money from Supervisor Thompson's district to that of Supervisor Francis.

According to Wetmore's interpretation of the law, gas tax and registration receipts must all go into a special fund, and no appropriations or allotments therefrom can be made without the approval of three-fifths of the board.

This gives the majority members of the board the right to spend as much state money as they desire in any part of the county.

Wetmore also expressed the opinion that the special tax levy for the La Honda road project was not legally sound. Taxpayers must pay it, however, but they can do so under protest.

England and Germany are now connected with twenty-three telephone circuits. Their western terminus is London. In Germany, nine terminate in Berlin, seven in Hamburgh, two each in Cologne, Dusseldorf and Frankfurt-am-Main, and one in Bremen.

For the 55 seperate charges of disorderly conduct lodged against him during the past 10 years, James McGraw, of Long Branch, N. J., has served an equal number of jail sentences.

## MANY RACERS NOW IN STALLS AT TANFORAN

With 150 horses in stalls at Tanforan, to be raced at the meeting opening Friday, November 6, active training operations are on. Over at Pleasanton there are nearly as many thoroughbreds. The Pleasanton contingent will not be shipped over for some time.

The horses at Tanforan and Pleasanton will be augmented by large shipments from Eastern sectors, one of the largest coming from Chicago, where this year's racing closes October 31, at Hawthorne.

All in all, counting equine noses, there will be in the neighborhood of 700 gallopers at the popular course when the bugle calls the first field to the post.

The international aspects of racing are well shown by the recent victory of A. K. Macomber's Pitter-Patter at York, England. This filly was bred in France, races in England, and her maternal grandsire War Cloud was campaigned with much success in the United States by Macomber. Her second dam, Lip Stick, was one of a band of matrons that formerly enjoyed the rich pasture at Mira Monte Farm, which is owned by the California sportsman.

Harry Couse, manager for A. K. Macomber of his holdings near San Jose, which include Mira Monte Stock Farm, now under lease to Norman W. Church, was a visitor at the Del Monte races. He said that his employer was only waiting for the legalization of race track speculation, either by the electorate or the legislature, to have strong representation in racing in California. He now has formidable strings in England, France and other European countries. Some years ago he led the winning owners list in the United States.

Edward T. Perry, of Menlo Park, plan to have his colors up frequently at the coming period of racing at Tanforan. He has engaged stalls for twelve horses. Daughters of imported Langdon Hills, which he raced at various Fairs, did so well he decided to enlarge his thoroughbred possessions. While at Del Monte he completed negotiations with Major Sven Christenson to take over the runners being campaigned successfully at that course in the Christenson colors. Perry is widely known as an owner of harness horses.

## DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK?

By Edson R. Waite, Shawnee, Okla.

S. G. Goldthwaite, publisher of the Boone (Iowa) News-Republican, says:

"There is a great deal of trade that goes away from the home market through carelessness or thoughtlessness. Some of it goes out of town throught the mistaken thought of independence. Some trade goes out of town on account of spite.

"The present business condition has been responsible for one good thing at least. People are thinking more seriously of that 'buy at home' argument in order to help the times for themselves. It has been brought to our reasoning power more forcibly than ever before that money spent at home is likely to come back to us.

"We presume that 20 per cent of the trade is a low estimate of that which finds its way out of the home market. Add 20 per cent to the present gross sales of the merchants and they would think that good times had come back. People are beginning to realize this more strongly than ever before.

"Show us a town where the people are loyal to their own merchants and we will show you a town which is happy and prosperous. Buy home sold articles and state made products is a slogan that is growing stronger in the present times. It is responsible for a new sort of a bootstrap prosperity. It is due not merely to a desire for self help, but also to a quickened conscience, superinduced by slack times, that maybe it is a duty to keep money in circulation in the home town."

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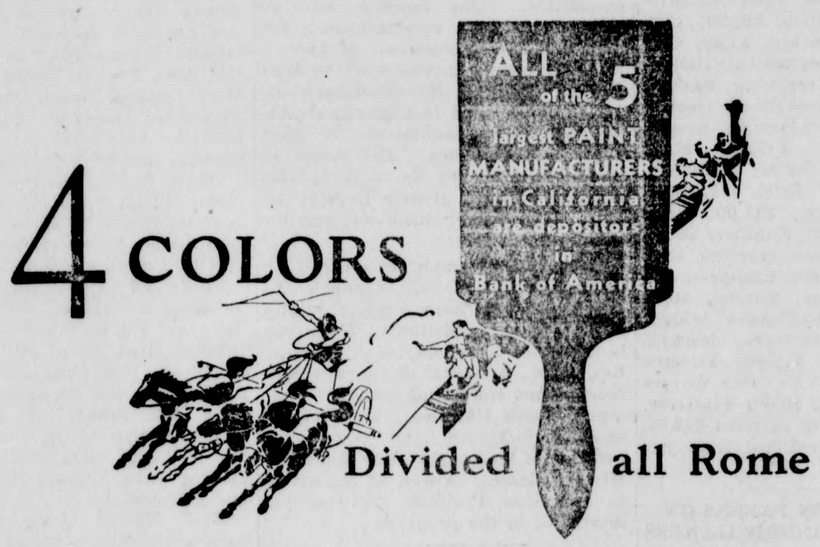


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# CALIFORNIA NEWS REVIEW

The Amador Ledger, Jackson newspaper, has passed into the control of A. Garbarini and Romauld Huberty, associated with it in subordinate capacities for the last eight years.

Work of planting 1,000,000 striped bass in the upper portion of Newport Bay will be started within the next few weeks, it was made known at Newport following a visit to that section by Dr. George Coleman of Sacramento and Jack Boaz, Los Angeles, State Fish and Game commissioners.

California's sardine catch in August was only 4000 tons, less than one-third the total for the same month last year, D. H. Blood, director of natural resources announced. This was partly due, he said, to disputes between canneries and fishermen over prices, which finally resulted in formation of a fishermen's organization and an agreement of $8 per ton for fish caught.

S. V. Rehart, of Van Nuys, pioneer resident and weather prophet, recently predicted a stormy season of rain. Rehart has studied the weather for fifty-seven years. Because of the long summer heat this year, he says, rain will start early and there will be plenty of it during the winter. After Christmas, he says, there will be heavy mountain storms of rain and snow and there need be no worry about water supply next year.

More than 400 residents of Pasadena will obtain employment as the result of the city's decision to proceed with excavations for Pasadena's $10,000,000 water-storage dam to be erected at the Pine Canyon site in San Gabriel Canyon, according to Mayor Walker. In a comprehensive plan providing for construction of the dam and seventeen-mile conduit, Mayor Walker proposes to expend $1,000,000, mostly on labor, before the conclusion of the present rainy season.

More than 50,000 Mexicans have been returned to their native land this year, either by California counties or at their own expense, Will J. French, director of industrial relations, declared. During August the counties sent 1800 Mexicans home, of whom 1300 were from Los Angeles county and 150 from San Diego. Many of those returned have been public charges, and would have added materially to the cost of charities this winter, officials said.

Despite financial conditions in Great Britain, and a tendency to confine purchases there to home-manufactured and home-grown products for the time being, California fruits will continue to be popular because the taste and habit have been acquired, the Foreign Trade Club was told recently by Frank Messenger, United States Trade Commissioner at London. California fruits, he explained, are of superior quality and are better packed than those of competitive marketers.

California's home brew brigade may be forced to contribute liberally to the unemployment relief fund which the joint legislative committee on unemployment proposes to raise through a special session of the Legislature. As he prepared to leave for an Eastern trip, Rolland A. Vandegrift, State Director of Finance, announced that the taxation of malt was one of the sales and luxury tax proposals the legislative committee had been requested to study.

Although the State's fig crop was severely damaged by drought, heat and pests this year, there is an optimistic outlook for the growers, for whom satisfactory returns are expected. This statement was made to the directors of the California Peach and Fig Growers at Fresno by M. J. Newhouse, general manager of the co-operative, following a survey of the market and crop situation. While early estimates were for a production of 16,000 tons of dried figs this year, infestation and drought will reduce the supply of merchantable fruit to approximately 10,000 tons, Newhouse said.

A recent investigation made by Dr. Giles S. Porter, director of public health, showed huge quantities of food in cold storage throughout the State. At the end of the quarter, June 30, there were nearly 10,000,000 pounds of fresh fruit and more than 6,000,000 pounds of vegetables in storage. At the same time, there were nearly 6,000,000 pounds of meat, 3,375,000 pounds of poultry, 4,000,000 pounds of dried, frozen and preserved fruits, 2,000,000 pounds of fish, 1,500,000 pounds of citrus fruits, 2,375,000 pounds of butter, the same amount of cheese, 6,375,000 pounds of eggmeat and 1,250,000 cases of eggs in storage.

California hunters turned in tags for 5848 deer killed during August, records of the State Fish and Game Division showed. Approximately the same number were killed in August, 1930.

Californians are urged to support Community Chest drives in a proclamation issued by Governor Rolph in behalf of those cities which use the chest system in dispensing charity. Last year Rolph said $7,250,000 was raised in chest cities, and he characterized this as a "great tribute to the people of our State."

The new $200,000 Russian River bridge at Jenner, on the Redwood Empire Shoreline highway, was dedicated recently. It replaces the old ferry that has been operating at this point since the early sixties and brings a step nearer the materialization of the long contemplated plan for an all-coast highway reaching from Mexico to the Canadian border.

Property owners in the old San Joaquin River Water district, who stand to lose their property for failure to pay taxes, will be permitted to redeem their land. This was the announcement made recently by N. J. Burke, one of the attorneys representing the 3-H company, which bought unredeemed tax certificates from the Miller & Lux Corporation and then sued to secure deeds to the property. "At the time the suits were started we announced voluntarily that any property owners would be permitted to redeem their property by paying the delinquent taxes, plus the court costs so far incurred," Burke said.

More than 200 men at San Quentin are studying agricultural subjects to prepare themselves for jobs when their terms are up. Faculty members of the College of Agriculture at Davis are aiding in this program by choosing textbooks, assisting in the selection of lecturers and revising correspondence courses in agricultural work. Practical lessons in landscape work and jobs on stock farms and orchards, are given. Mimeographed material from textbooks is used since it is impossible to purchase books for all the men who desire to study agriculture. The work is under the direction of M. B. Boissevain, farm advisor for Marin county and local representative of the University's Agricultural Extension Service. Later, it is hoped that an instructor in agriculture may be employed at the prison.

Promotion and continuance of prosperity in the State will be discussed by 1,000 business, financial and agricultural leaders at the annual meeting of the California State Chamber of Commerce in Los Angeles, November 5 and 6. Among topics which will occupy the sessions will be labor stabilization, stimulation of buying, promotion of sound agricultural conditions and marketing problems. Invitations to attend the meeting were mailed to California leaders recently by Frederick J. Koster, president of the State Chamber of Commerce. Koster said: "Since our gathering last year economic conditions have changed materially. There has been forced on us a keener realization of our interdependence and the fact that only through intelligently directed organized effort can we hope to bring about an improvement."

Congress will be called upon for a substantial appropriation to finance a crusade against the pine beetle, and thereby not only conserve national forests, but relieve the unemployment situation, it has been learned. A joint survey of the ravages wrought by the bug in California is being made by the Government and the University of California. J. M. Miller, entomologist of the Agricultural Department, has established headquarters at Giannini Hall, Berkeley, to assist the survey. Control measures for all infested sections of the State were understood to be in process of formation. Heavy destruction of timber in the Modoc and Sierra national forests was found. "Our investigations showed that the western pine beetle was destroying from 25 to 35 per cent of the yellow pine in Modoc county and proving to be a most serious menace to the lumber industry. Steps may be taken by which future lumber resources may be conserved and employment given to many in the lumber districts who are now unemployed."

California traffic officers soon may become substitutes for college professors—that is, if anyone intelligent enough to pass a traffic officer's examination can be found to take these jobs at $175 a month. The new list of traffic officer qualifications submitted to Capt. E. Raymond Cato, chief of the California Highway Patrol, by the scientific staff of the Division of Personnel of the State Department of Finance reveals: That a traffic officer must have a college education or its equivalent; He must be smarter than 87 out of every 100 people, and preferably smarter than 92 out of a 100 persons; He must have a thorough knowledge of the State Vehicle Act; He must be able to operate and care for a motorcycle, and use and care for firearms; He must have ability to size up situations and people accurately, ability to get along with others, keenness of observation; He must have good judgment in dealing with the public, and be courteous, firm, tactful, reliable and have a pleasing personality. Also he cannot be shorter than 5 feet 7 1-4 inches, and weigh less than 145 pounds. While the traffic officer must have an intelligence rating of 87 per cent, the Civil Service Commission's records show that the average intelligence under civil service is 62 1-2 per cent.

E. K. Mosby, publisher of the Lennox Tribune for the past two years, has sold his newspaper to Eli E. Winch, formerly of Marshfield, Wis., it has been announced. Winch will take over management of the Tribune immediately.

Surveys of Orange County citrus groves was ordered recently by Dudley Moulton, director of agriculture, when reports were received that the dreaded citrus white fly, a dangerous plant pest, had attacked groves in that district.

# Finding New Plants

Monster Fig of Orotava, Half Grown.

(Prepared by the National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.)

MANY years of whole hearted devotion to the cause of science was recognized recently when Allison V. Armour, patron of eight expeditions to find and bring into America from foreign countries useful and ornamental plants to enrich our farms and gardens, was awarded the Frank N. Meyer medal "for distinguished services in plant introduction."

The presentation was made by Dr. Gilbert Grosvenor, president of the National Geographic society, at Beinn Bhreagh, home of the late Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, now the summer residence of Doctor and Mrs. Grosvenor.

Mr. Armour's yacht Utowana sailed under the auspices of the United States Department of Agriculture and carried on each expedition a staff of scientific experts chosen by the secretary of agriculture, the president of Harvard university, and the director of Kew gardens, England.

As described in "Exploring for Plants," Dr. David Fairchild's fascinating account of three of these expeditions, the yacht Utowana was especially equipped with laboratory, library and greenhouse arrangements, and everything possible was done to facilitate the collecting, study and transportation of living plants in conformity with the strict regulations of the federal plant quarantine and control board.

The work of the expeditions under Mr. Armour's patronage was not confined to the discovery of hitherto unknown plants in the depths of tropical jungles or on remote islands of the sea. More often the plant explorers brought back known plants in other lands which gave evidence of useful lives in our own country.

One of the most interesting and unusual of the expeditions headed by Dr. Fairchild was that to the Canary islands, a few years ago, when a visit was paid to one of the strangest botanical gardens in the world.

### The Garden of Orotava.

There is something a bit bewildering to most people in a collection of plants such as one finds in any European botanic garden. The Latin labels and the crowded specimens are too confusing. At Orotava, Don Juan Bolinaga's Jardin de Aclimatacion, as he calls his botanic garden, is no exception. It dates back to a time when the illusion prevailed in scientific circles that even the frost-tender plants of the Tropics might be acclimated so that they would grow in the chilly gardens of Europe if only they were brought into them gradually enough. This garden was to have been an important link in the chain of gardens reaching from the Tropics to the Arctic circle; but a century has proved too short a time for the process of acclimatization, as it was understood, to make any impression on the hardiness of tropical trees, and this dream has not come true.

To a botanist, however, the Jardin de Aclimatacion of Orotava is full of fascinating plants which have been brought from all parts of the world, for it represents the successes of thousands of introductions which the long lifetimes of such botanists as Wildpret and others of its directors made possible, and although few of the plants introduced have found their way into common use in the island, that is not the fault of the men who have been in charge, but of the public, which does must look forward to changes in the taste of the users of plant materials.

Today the great rock terraces, built with such back-breaking hand labor as an American farmhand would refuse to undertake, are growing the dwarf Chinese banana for European markets at a profit which would surprise even the most successful of the South Florida tomato growers. But what if the taste for the Honduras banana should supplant that for the Chinese species in the minds of the Europeans? The profits of banana raising might vanish and the growers might have to turn to something else.

### Huge Roxburgh's Figs.

It is at such turning points as this that human tragedies occur. Then come into their own the gardens of introduced plants, furnishing their knowledge of what other plants will grow and what will not in the climate and soils of the region.

The most amazing tree in the garden at Orotava is Roxburgh's fig (Ficus roxburghii) from the Himalayas. It is not at all a commercial fig, but a wild tree from the tropical forests of Burma. It seems to be very seldom cultivated in botanic gardens anywhere. It is a spreadng tree of immense size, and its trunk and large branches are literally covered with enormous figs—figs that are three inches in diameter before fertilization and that swell up to to four inches afterward.

This fertilization, by the way, is very curious. It is done by running a small stick into the interior of each fruit, a process which appears to irritate the internal flowers in the same way that the fertilizing wasp does in its native habitat.

Every afternoon boys irrigate the garden, not by means of the usual irrigation canals so familiar in California, but with a large fire hose, which delivers a stream of water onto the foliage with such force as to wash off thousands of insects and prevent the dust from gathering on the leaves.

But whenever one thinks of the Canaries the barrancos come to mind. These are great, dry river beds with precipitous sides and terraced plantations wherever terraces could be built. They are short canyons leading from the mountain peaks to the sea; but, unlike those solitary canyons of our Southwest, these are the abodes of men, and there are always to be seen, walking over the zigzag mule paths which enter them, the forms of people.

Stately women with the carriage of grandes dames, straight and graceful, with all kinds of burdens on their heads, wander leisurely over the mule paths, or the sombreros of the men and the miniature forms of their mules give the landscape a friendly appearance.

One never sees a man carrying his burden on his head; the fashion against it seems to be as universal as the fashion against carrying bundles on the streets of London used to be among English gentlemen.

The barrancos are delightful places for the botanist, for in the rocky crevices of their precipitous walls many strange and interesting plant forms can be seen which exist nowhere else in the world. The Aeoniums, for example, which look like green dinner plates thrown up against the walls and stuck there, are striking features of the reign near San Juan de la Rambla.

### Dragon's Blood Trees.

The Canaries have long been noted in botanical literature as the home of the dragon's blood trees. The most famous and largest one of these remarkable trees was reported to have been 79 feet in circumference, at the ground and 70 feet high, and its age was estimated as being anywhere from the age of the great Pyramids of Egypt on up to 10,000 years.

Although this specimen was destroyed in the hurricane of 1867, there are descendants still standing near the town of Icod which give a very good idea of these incredibly old trees.

Since they are more nearly related botanically to lilies than to our hardwood trees, the difficulties of estimating their age are very great. They have no annual rings of growth and in appearance bear scarcely the faintest resemblance to an oak, a pine, or a giant eucalyptus. They remind one of the great yuccas of the Mohave desert, although they are taller and more tree-like.

They seem, like the huge, ungainly tortoise of the Galapagos islands, to be left over from antediluvian times, and one can imagine dinosaurs feeding upon their foliage.

Their great branches rise from the trunk as clumsily and inartistically as do the sawdust-filled legs and arms of the old-fashioned doll; and yet there is a certain stateliness about them, too.

The Plant Introduction medal was established by the staff of the division of foreign plant introduction of the Department of Agriculture in honor of Frank N. Meyer, agricultural explorer of that office, who after 13 years of exploring in China and Central Asia was drowned in the Yangtze river in 1918.

The letter of presentation is signed by Doctor Fairchild, president of the American Genetic association; C. E. Leighty, secretary, and by E. W. Sheets, J. H. Kempton and G. N. Collins, members of the council.

# NEST-EGG FOR LOTTIE'S EDUCATION

By FANNIE HURST

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SIBBIE was one of those women who had married early (a first-love elopement), had spent the subsequent years bemoaning the fact that she had not availed herself of the opportunity for a college education.

The stage had all been set for Sibbie to attend a state university when she eloped instead. It had been no great blow however to her parents, the idea of college, which in a modest way they had been able to afford, had been to them more of a new-fangled notion than a project of value. So when Sibbie eloped with a nice local boy, with prospects in his father's machinery shop, it had seemed more of a blessing than a calamity.

In a way this was true, because the pretty Sibbie was to enjoy three years of complete marital happiness before her husband succumbed to influenza during an epidemic.

It had been hard sledding after that. Her little girl was just two when the father died. Her father-in-law's machine shop was destined to bankruptcy, her own parents had passed on meanwhile, leaving assets that were chiefly in the form of mortgages.

There had not been a time after those first three years of married happiness when Sibbie had not been harassed, pressed and burdened with the responsibilities of the struggle for existence of herself and little girl. And through all the driven, work-ridden years the regret that had lain uppermost in the mind of Sibbie was her failure to avail herself, when a girl, of the opportunity of a college education. Lack of it seemed the fundamental explanation of so many of the handicaps that oppressed her. It was humiliating when she thought of her little daughter Lottie, that she, Sibbie, instead of earning their living by some such activity as teaching or professional work, should be obliged to accept a salesladyship in a dry goods store or sit behind the wire cage of a cashier's desk in a lunch room.

A college woman happened to run one of these lunch rooms in which Sibbie was employed as cashier. The very books she kept on her desk were a sign of reproach to the mother of little Lottie. They were the kind of books Sibbie was not only unprepared to read herself, but was unprepared to pass along and discuss with her daughter. Books of psychology; science; collections of essays.

Because her mind had never been sufficiently trained, Sibbie had not the patience for reading anything except the most superficial magazines and the tabloid newspapers. Vaudeville and motion pictures were her forms of entertainments and it was all she could do to keep awake if she accompanied her little daughter, for the sake of its cultural significance, to a lecture or a symphony concert.

And so Sibbie found herself going through life, branded, as it were, by this outstanding lack; branded by the fact that as an uneducated woman she was fettered to walks of life that otherwise might have been roads to a higher destiny. Try as she would to excuse herself, Sibbie was forced at last to realize that her intellectual curiosity had simply never been awakened.

The proprietor of the restaurant was the sort of college woman whose tastes had been stimulated back in the formative years. Sibbie realized that same need within herself. She had no talent for culture; no appetite, except one that should have been artificially stimulated in her youth.

And, of course, this regret began gradually to be offset by an ambition. Before Lottie was in her teens, a gleaming resolution had already lit Sibbie's eyes. Lottie would never know the bitter pangs of regret that had eaten their way through the life of her mother.

When Lottie was thirteen, the fund for her college education already amounted to three figures in Sibbie's little bank book.

And delightfully enough, Lottie showed promise of a distinct appetite for learning. She was the sort of child to whom going to school was a pleasure. Her teacher liked her; her reports were excellent and to Sibbie's delight, it was not unusual to find the little girl, after school hours, curled up on a couch reading a book, instead of playing out of doors with the neighborhood children. And good books they were. Dickens. When Lottie was sixteen, she spoke French almost as well as the graphophone records from which she had learned it. By this time her application was in for admission into a large eastern college for girls, and Sibbie's nest-egg was already large enough to account for the first two years of Lottie's college life.

Even in her choice of companions, Lottie brought gratification to her mother's heart. She was not only a member of the high school's literary society, but vice president as well, and presided when the president of the organization, Lon Brown, son of the principal of the high school, was obliged to be absent. She had a fine executive quality and once or twice it had been Sibbie's privilege to sit in at one of these sessions and see her young daughter, pert, slim, alert, and intelligent, conduct the affairs of this cultural organization with manner and precision.

Sometimes the literary society, or the dramatic club of which Lottie was also a member, met in the modest little home where Sibbie took great pains to serve excellent refreshments. There was a girl named Edda May, of wealthy parents, who had come to be a great chum of Lottie's. Sometimes they practiced their dramatics together, while Sibbie held the book and prompted them. Lottie and Edda were bound for the same college. Once, too, Lottie was chosen to play Juliet opposite Lon Brown's Romeo in the school production of that play, and it seemed to Sibbie, sitting there beholding, that no fulfillment could be finer than this vicarious one that was hers. Compared to the joys of beholding in this girl of hers the fruition of her own stunted and blunted desires, the years of struggle, grief and despair, were as naught.

In a way, Sibbie used to argue with herself, it was a blessed dispensation that she had been too silly and ignorant a girl to realize the incalculable advantages of an education. Otherwise, she might never have realized thus keenly how essential were the cultural attributes she desired so passionately in her daughter.

The world was filled with women who had suddenly found themselves in the routine rut of homes, without having had time to equip themselves for life; women without the capacity to desire the better things. Sibbie had been such a woman. The avenues of good reading, of foreign languages, of art were closed to her, because she had never prepared her mind to understand or love them.

There came to be something horrible to Sibbie in the news that this and that young girl of Lottie's acquaintance had married.

Too soon, too soon, was what her heart tolled when tidings such as these came to her. These young girls, just out of high school, had not time to prepare themselves for the better things; the banquet-things of life's table.

When Lottie was eighteen, she was graduated with honors from her high school.

There were three months between her and the time she was to enter college; months that were heart-hurting and terrible to Sibbie in many ways, as the time of her separation from this child approached, and yet months that were lit with the flame of fulfillment.

To add to the excitement and the fine quality of her anticipations, Lottie won a traveling scholarship of two months in Europe, on the strength of an essay she wrote for a local newspaper. It came out of a clear sky, because Sibbie had not even known that her daughter had entered the competition. Two months in Europe! Two months among the art galleries, the palaces and the capitals of England, France, Germany and Italy. Why, that in itself was enough to give a girl a running start in a cultural life that was limitless in its possibilities.

More than that, think what it would do to jerk the pretty Lottie, tired from the arduous activities of her graduation, out of the apathy which had come over her of late.

But as a matter of fact, the effect was just the contrary. Like a flower drooping of its own weight, Lottie somehow failed to respond to the incredible good fortune that had befallen her and for some reason, all the old enthusiasm about her entrance into college had flowed out of her, leaving her a wan and listless girl who was puzzling to her mother.

After all, it was impossible to account for a lassitude so deeply rooted as Lottie's, merely by the strenuous activities attending her graduation. Something fundamental was to be reckoned with in Lottie.

It all became startlingly clear, just one week before she was to sail for Europe. She eloped with Lon Brown.

The effect upon her mother, the subsequent happy setting-up of the two young people into a small homestead, and the resultant years of good fortune and tribulation, happiness and heartache, are precisely what would be expected. Sibbie, with the unconquerable resiliency of the human being, recovered from the shock of her disappointment and learned to accept in good faith the really pleasant destiny that had overtaken her daughter. Lon was a good fellow, industrious, ambitious and capable. Their first child was born on Lottie's birthday.

She is six years old now, her name is Sibbie. The nest-egg toward her college education has already been started in the savings bank.

### Biblical Perfume Recipe

The first known recipe for a perfume, wrote C. J. S. Thompson in "The Mystery and Lure of Perfume," is that which is given in the book of Exodus, 30:34: "And the Lord said unto Moses, take unto thee sweet spices, stacte and onycha, and galbanum; these sweet spices with pure frankincense: of each shall be a like weight: and thou shalt make it a perfume, a confection after the art of the apothecary, tempered together, pure and holy: and thou shalt beat some of it very small. . . . And as for the perfume which thou shalt make, ye shall not make to yourselves according to the composition thereof: it shall be unto thee holy for the Lord."

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## DEFENDS MODERN WOMEN

In striking contrast with gloomy and pessimistic criticisms of the dyspeptic reformers, who would make us believe that modern womanhood is going to the dogs, the statements of Dr. W. S. McCullough, health officer of the province of Ontario, in an address before a Canadian Kiwanis Club, are most refreshing.

Dr. McCullough declared that the low neck, bare arms, short skirts and bobbed hair all make for comfort and cleanliness, and consequently for health and morals. He contrasted modern styles with the abominations of the past—long, trailing, germ-gathering skirts; steel-ribbed corsets that compressed the body unnaturally; heavy clothing that shut out the beneficial ultra-violet rays of the sun; disgusting and insanitary "rats" in the hair; the atrocious hoop-skirt and bustle, and other ridiculous fashions of a former day.

Owing to the more sensible and healthful practices of the present, he stated that the baby born today has on an average twelve years longer life ahead of him than his grandparents had.

Touching upon the effect of modern styles with respect to morality, Dr. McCullough said: "In my opinion the women of today are more virtuous than at any time in the history of the world."

Inasmuch as all the ranting of the critics is not going to cause the modern woman to change her mode of dress until she gets ready to change it, we may as well agree with Dr. McCullough that she knows what is good for her, and let it go at that.

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We read that Will Rogers is interested in a parachute factory. Probably senses a market among politicians who will be up in the air next year.

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Also there seems to be a surplus of plans for restoring prosperity, none of which will work.


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## A FORTUNE OUT OF AIR

Shortly after the close of the Civil war a young inventor, just past 21, endeavored to interest old Commodore Vanderbilt in a new brake for railroad trains to be operated by compressed air.

After listening with impatience to the proposition, the Commodore asked whether the inventor really meant that he could stop a rushing train with nothing but air. He was answered in the affirmative.

"Then get out of here," he said. "I have no time to waste on fools."

The young inventor was George Westinghouse, who shortly afterward perfected his air brake and after many discouragements succeeded in placing it on the market. To make his triumph complete, the first big order for the new Westinghouse air brake came from Commodore Vanderbilt.

This invention and others made Westinghouse a fortune, and when he died in 1914 he was rated among the wealthy men of America, the use of his air brake having become almost universal.

His early struggles were typical of those of many other young men with an idea and nothing else, but he was more fortunate than most of them. He did ultimately reap the rewards of his genius, while many inventors, through lack of business ability, are defrauded out of theirs.

## FACTS NOT POPULAR

It is a strange trait of most humans that they care little for facts which would increase their store of real knowledge. We spend many hours reading trashy fiction, which, if devoted to the acquiring of useful information, would make us really cultured.

With the greatest wonders of the universe overhead every night, few persons know the names of half a dozen stars. Few know or can distinguish the difference between a fixed star and a planet.

This is merely one illustration of how little interest is taken in the great facts of nature. Even with regard to current events, small attention is paid new developments which mean so much to mankind. The greatest discoveries of science are hardly ever discussed, while details of the latest murder are on every tongue.

While a relatively few people in the world are giving thought to the marvelous developments of our wonderful age, the vast majority confine their reading and conversation to a narrow range of the most trivial subjects. Facts worth knowing are not popular.

## CONQUERING DIPHTHERIA

Except through ignorance or neglect, no person need die from diphtheria in future, according to Dr. Harrison of the National Institute of Health, who recently described the wonderful effects of toxoid immunization, the latest method of preventing this dreaded enemy of childhood.

Toxoid was first introduced by Prof. Ramon of the Pasteur Institute in Paris, but credit for developing it to its present efficient state is given to Dr. Willam H. Park, of New York, who is said to have done more to wipe out diphtheria than any other living man.

A course of two or three treatments by the toxoid method makes children immune in nine cases out of ten. Toxoid is non-poisonous and entirely harmless, no case of injury having ever been known to result from its use.

While diphtheria antitoxin has been employed with much success for many years, the new method of treatment is declared to be far superior to any heretofore developed. Dr. Harrison considers it the greatest health discovery since Jenner's introduction of vaccination against smallpox. He predicts that diphtheria will entirely disappear within a few years.

## WHEN DANGER LOOMS

It is a sad commentary on present day intelligence that we are killing human beings at the rate of 35,000 a year and wounding 900,000 more in automobile accidents in the United States. Most of these deaths and injuries could be prevented by the exercise of reasonable caution by drivers on our streets and highways.

While many accidents are due to sheer recklessness, a large percentage are caused by defective car equipment. This is especially true wth respect to brakes. Even the most careful driver is helpless if his brakes fail to function in an emergency. Some pertinent observations are made on this subject by a prominent official who has been conducting a nation-wide survey of the automobile accident situation. He says:

"Driving instinct forces your foot down on the brake pedal when a car, truck, traffic light or other obstacle looms ahead, and this automatic action on your part generally takes place before your brain has had time to analyze the situation. This instinctive impulse puts on your brakes the burden of saving your life by acting more quickly than your deliberate thought could direct your hands and legs to act. If your brakes are out of adjustment or worn they can not possibly give you the protection they are designed to give. The intelligent motorist, therefore, 'gives his brakes a break' by keeping them in perfect adjustment and having them relined when dangerously worn."

Few persons would risk their lives in an airplane which they knew beforehand was defective in any of its essential working parts, yet thousands venture into traffic with defective automobiles, and that so many meet disaster is the direct result of such stupidity.

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Technically, the husband is the head of the household—but in most cases the technicality is overruled.

Discussing business etiquette, a trade magazine tells salesmen that when leaving a busy executive they should not expect him to escort them to the door. That, we suppose, is the head bouncer's job.

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"A cook is known by his knife," says an ancient proverb, written before the can-opener was invented.

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A New Yorker laments that game laws provide no closed season for innocent bystanders.


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# Colma News Notes

Mr. and Mrs. O. Pellegrini visited with friends in San Francisco last Sunday.

Mrs. Gina Cecchi, Mrs. Anna Cecchi and baby Vivian Cecchi left this week for a short stay in Almadale.

Miss Dasy Gibson left the latter part of this week for Los Angeles, where she will visit with relatives.

Judge Knutte, who has been away for many weeks, spent several days in Colma the early part of the wook.

Mrs. Evelyn Merlo and children, Louis and La Verne, were guests of Mrs. Clarence Archer, of San Bruno, last Friday.

After undergoing a delicate operation on his throat last week, Mr. G. Nilsen is now home again and regaining his good health.

The Colma Boys' Club won the ball game last Sunday at Fleishacker's diamond, the score being 5 to 2 in favor of the Colma boys.

Mrs. Raymond Grandona, Mrs. M. Grandona and Mrs. Louis Gregoire were dinner guests of Mrs. John Ferrari one day last week.

Last Tuesday Lorraine Gregoire and Mrs. Mabel Martinelli attended the ball game at the Seals stadium. They report watching an exciting game.

Mrs. Vic Rossi and son Vic, Jr., Benny Haubrich, Walter Witt, George Olmo and Larry Hagen took part in the Columbus day parade in San Francisco.

Mr. Michael Scafani, brother of Mrs. Michael Raggio, was elected president of the Fishermen's Association at a meeting in San Francisco one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Costa are receiving the congratulations of their many friends upon the arrival of a baby boy, born last week. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C. Ver Linden, of Anna and Washington streets, are receiving the congratulations of their many relatives and friends upon the arrival of a baby boy, born at Mills Memorial hospital, San Mateo, October 1. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

Mr. George Claus, of San Francisco, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Merlo last Monday.

Mrs. Miller entertained Mrs. Kolnes, Mrs. Gaal, and Anna Kolnes at her home last Monday afternoon.

The members of the Castle Club met at the home of Mrs. Louise Merlo on Thursday afternoon of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ramer, of Cavour street, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Silcott, of San Jose, last Sunday.

Misses Marie Musante, Josephine Musante and Lorraine Gregoire spent one evening last week with Mrs. Mable Martinelli.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Kensler, Mr. and Mrs. Tompkins, Miss Barker and Mr. Nielson motored to Belmont and way points last Sunday.

Mr. Leo Vincent, of Los Angeles, formerly a resident of Daly City, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Attilio Arata one day last week.

Mrs. Sylvia Fischer and daughter Sylvia and Benny Haubrich visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. Maffei, of Lomita Park, last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Raggio, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ballerini, Mr. and Mrs. Scafani and Mr. Joe Maffei enjoyed a splendid outing at Paradise Cove last Sunday.

His many friends are very glad to hear that Eugene Arata, who has been on the sick list for the past three weeks, is now able to be up and around again.

Residents of this section are very glad to hear that Dr. Keller is able to be around again. For the past week Dr. Keller has been in the hospital, suffering from blood poisoning.

Two beautiful new homes are being erected in Colma, one on Castle street being built for Mr. and Mrs. Rossi, and the other near the main highway to be built for Mr. and Mrs. P. Giacchino.

Misses Christina Balestri, Onarine Arata and Dora Degliantoni and Mrs. Degliantoni and Mrs. Arata were among those who attended the Policemen's ball in San Francisco last Saturday.

Mrs. Anna Bauer, Rosa and Richard Bauer, who have lived in Colma for many years, and for the past few years resided in the Belli flats, have moved this week to No. 8 Sears street, San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Welk (nee Paula Kuper) have returned from their honeymoon, which was spent in Yosemite Valley. They are now residing in their new home on Anna and Washington streets, and are receiving the congratulations and best wishes from all relatives and friends for a very happy future.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Remington, of Railroad avenue, celebrated the twelfth anniversary of their wedding last Friday evening. A delicious chicken dinner was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. H. Burns, of Santa Cruz, Mr. Luther Burns, Miss Wood, of Santa Cruz, and Miss Virginia Scaroni, of San Francisco.

Mrs. Lorraine Gregoire entertained several of her friends at a dinner at the home of her parents, 40 Peoria street, Daly City. Whist was played later in the evening. Those who enjoyed the hospitality of Miss Gregoire were Misses Marie Musante, Virginia Brignola, Josephine Musante, Mary Nolan, Mrs. Mabel Martinelli and Mrs. Nolan.

The many friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fahlbusch and family were very sorry to hear of the sudden passing away of their 9-year-old daughter, June Ann. The funeral was held Wednesday at 8:45 from the funreal home and chapel of United Undertakers, thence to St. Michael's church, where a requiem high mass was offered for the repose of her soul. Interment was in Holy Cross cemetery. Little June Ann was the granddaughter of William and Jennie Fahlbusch and Elijah and Mary Hutley.

Final arrangements are being made by the committee in charge of the entertainment and dance to be given at Colombo Hall, Saturday evening, October 31, for the benefit of Holy Angels' parish, Colma. Mr. M. Grady, chairman of the committee, reports that many tickets have been sold and nealy all the advertising space has been sold on the program. Anyone wishing to advertise on the program is requested to send in their advertisement not later than Saturday of this week. The young ladies taking part in the sketch, "The Burglar," are Misses Rose Bauer, Mildred Ross, Victorine Bertini, May Varni, and Marion Millett. Those taking part in the sketch "The Hoodooed Hindu," are Misses Mary Conti, Bernice Bertini, Rose and Inez Merlo, Inez Benassini, and Albert Belli.

The Ladies' Home Club enjoyed a bridge whist tea last Tuesday at the home of their President, Mrs. Lillian Landini, entertaining their many friends. The club will again be in session on Tuesday, October 20, at 2 P. M., at which time the many activities will be discussed. Mrs. Landini will preside.

El Carmelo Parlor No. 181, Native Daughter of the Golden West, will hold a whist party on Wednesday evening, October 21, in Masonic Hall, at 8:30 P. M. Score cards 25 cents. Fifty dollars of the proceeds will be contributed to the Homeless Children committee of the Native Sons and Native Daughters of the Golden West, to enable them to carry on this very worth while work of the order. Mrs. Alice Anderson is chairlady, and her committee is composed of the following members of the order who are lending every effort to make this affair a success: Mrs. M. Barnes, Mrs. F. Schade, Mrs. E. Schwarz, and the Misses L. Figone and L. Walker.

Last Thursday evening a very successful surprise party was given in honor of Mr. Roy Scramaglia, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scramaglia, the occasion being in honor of his twenty-first birthday. The tables were very prettily decorated in pink and blue. Refreshments were served, and Roy received many useful gifts. Miss Norma Ballentini's birthday fell on the same date, and she was also given many useful gifts. Music was furnished by a six piece orchestra. Joaquin Gray, singer at the Fox Theatre, joined the party later and sang several numbers. Those who enjoyed the evening were: Messrs. and Mesdames L. Scramaglia, T. Molinari, V. Elpendini, J. Franzoia, M. Cheloni, M. Olmo, J. De Natei, Mesdames L. Varni, L. Atkinson, A. Perata, R. Ballentini, L. Conti, R. Pagaro, F. Greco; Misses Oline Scramaglia, Clara Abagnale, Christine Balestra, Violet Nelson, Norma Ballestini, Philomena Barsatti, Lena Bacigalupi, Onorine Arata, Jean Sousa, Bernice Cuneo, Gladys Conti, Dot Sousa, Bernice Lagley, Dot Dimple, Marjory Ferrari, Rita Corish, Esther Durbin, Linda Arminino, Erma Delucchi, Esther Delucchi, Irma Turri; Messrs. Roy Scramaglia, David Arata, Remo Boni, Paul Passaglia, Amerigo Ballentini, Silvio Ballentini, John Biggio, Joseph Anguello, Joseph Franzoia, Jack Lutich, Vince Chiolo, Nick Perazzo, Al Chippari, Frank Perata, Virgil Casanova, Leo Guisti, Dick Webb, Matty Vitmas, Louis Bertetta, Charles Tiso, Fred Di Olivia, Frank Cozzo, Fred Haffney, Joaquin Gray.

## INTERESTING NOTES

Airports in the United States increased by 206 during the fiscal year of 1931, says the department of commerce.

One-third of the beans produced in the United States comes from Michigan.

The oldest operating theatre in the United States is the Savannah theatre in Savanah, Ga., which was first opened on December 4, 1818.

Chile and New Zealand have more motor vehicles per capita of population than any other countries except the United States.

A farm at Rayleigh, England, is used for breeding mice that are sold to scientific research institutions.

The Dutch and British Guianas provide the world with one-fifth of its supply of bauxite, the valuable ore which contains a high percentage of aluminum.

Motor vehicle registrations in the United States have increased 160 per cent in 10 years, according to the National Industrial Conference Board.

The largest shoe factory in Europe is located in Czechoslovakia.

The city of Santos, in Brazil, is the most important coffee shipping center in the world.

Africa has given treasure hunters of the world no less than 66 diamonds that weigh over 100 carats.

The dress industry of Paris, France, employes more than 400,000 persons, either as designers, cutters, fitters, seamstresses or sales people.

The world's oldest republic is said to be Andorra, in Europe, a tiny territory with an area of 175 square miles and 6,000 population.

The world's tallest structure, the Empire State Building, in New York, rises to a height of 1,248 feet above the surface of the street.

Approximately one-fifth of the population of the United States attends movies every day.

One of the steepest railroads in the world has recently been completed in the famous Royal Gorge in Southern Colorado.

Durham, N. C., many miles from the sea, is one of the state's largest ports of entry, custom receipts doubling in 1930.

"Dolt is he who weaves a verse," sighs a recent poet. Which makes us think better of poets.

## SIDELIGHTS

Thackeray's line, "Nothing like blood, sir, in horses, dogs and men," was refuted recently at the national coon trials in Kenton, O. A black and white animal described as "just plain dog, unpedigreed and unheralded," was declared the coon hound champion of America over 160 entries, winning a $1,000 stake in addition to the title.

Some interesting intelligence tests of animals are reported in European scientific journals. Food was hung from the top of a chimpanzee's cage and several boxes were placed on the floor. After some meditation the chimpanzee piled the boxes one on top of the other and then climbed up after the food. A monkey did the same stunt, but took a little more time to think it out.

Defenders of Lady Nicotine have a strong argument in the person of Mrs. Nancy Murchison, R. F. D. 1, Rockford, Ala., who at the age of 96 is described as being in perfect health, although she habitually smokes strong tobacco in a briar pipe. She is the mother of 11 children, has 84 grandchildren, 150 great grandchildren and six great-great-grandchildren.

A business magazine tells of the enlightenment of a negro insurance agent, arrested for doing business without a license. The magistrate said, "Don't you know you can't sell life insurance without a license?" The darky replied, "Boss, you done said a mouthful; I knowed I couldn't sell it, but I didn't know why."

While aviators strive for greater heights, oil drillers seek ever greater depths. A well being drilled in Caddo county, Oklahoma, recently reached a depth of 9,714 feet and was still making progress into the bowels of the earth. A few years ago the idea of reaching such a depth would have been considered visionary.

One of the strangest animal freaks ever discovered is a two-headed turtle found in Florida and described by O. C. Van Hyning, curator of the Florida State Museum. The animal has two perfectly developed heads which see, eat, drink, sleep and move independently. The animal is encased in a single shell, but has two sets of front feet, although possessing only two hind feet and one tail. One of the strangest characteristics of this turtle is that, although it has only one stomach, the two heads fight for the same morsel of food.

Air races and stunt flying are a distinct detriment to aviation, according to Jules Guinotte in an address before an engineering society. The excessive number of fatal accidents which inevitably result from spectacular flying creates fear in the minds of the public and retards the acceptance of the airplane as a means of transportation. The fact is that among passengers in planes of regular air lines the risk is less than that of railroad travel a half century ago, when distastrous wrecks were of frequent occurrence.

There are twice as many widows as widowers, a life insurance company discovers. This dosen't mean that women live so much longer, but is accounted for by the fact that most men marry women younger than themselves. Old and middleaged men, especially, have this peculiar habit—strange as it may seem.

Few would classify frogs as fur-bearing animals, but they are officially so designated in the state of Washington, in order to give persons engaged in frog farming the benefit of the existing laws governing fur farmers.

Dr. Freeman of Yale reports, after a series of exhaustive tests, that the man who "takes it easy" while he works is likely to get the most done. This is encouraging to those who like to take it easy—which, we imagine, is most of us.

The initial cruise of the world's greatest dirigible, the Akron of the United States Navy, was a complete success. With 113 persons aboard, the new airship performed admirably in a flight lasting nearly four hours, landing after nightfall. The weather, too, was perfect, and it now remains to be seen how the new queen of the air will behave under conditions of storm and stress.

"Love laughs at locksmiths," and so did some chicken thieves who visited Harry Gray's barnyard in Petersburgh, Ind. Being unable to break the lock of his chicken house, they loaded the structure on a truck and carried it away with its 30 choice fowls.

First prize for anti-war literature offered by an international humane society goes to C. Y. Harrison for his book "Generals Die in Bed." Come to think of it, few generals have died on the battlefield in recent wars. Of all the supposed great leaders in the World War we do not recall one who was even wounded in action.

"Texas" Guinan, famed night club hostess, challenged Evangelist Aimee Semple McPherson to meet her in debate. Aimee, with a new 220-pound husband to look after, declined. A good many will believe that in spite of their diverse professions these two famous ladies are "sisters under the skin." And maybe that's why there won't be any debate.

Former President Coolidge sets at rest rumors that he might be a candidate for the Presidency next year, and recommends the renomination of President Hoover by the Republicans. Now that they know who the Republican nominee will be, the Democrats may proceed to pick their opposition candidate.

After a nip and tuck race for home run honors, Babe Ruth and his team mate Lou Gehrig finished the season tied, with 46 each. The leading home run hitter of the National League, Klein of the Phillies, got only 31. Although an old man, as baseball players go, the Babe's batting everage of 373 stood second this year among all major league players, being exceeded only by Simmons of the Athletics, who batted 390.

With a paid circulation of about 140 subscribers, the California Sun, published by Barbara Marquis, 14-year-old girl of Beverly Hills, Cal., has the distinction of being the smallest newspaper in the world.

To protect a tenant, Henry Whittle, landlord of Silverdale, Ire., shot a monkey which had invaded one of his apartments, only to be arrested and fined $70 for killing the escaped pet of Miss Mable Hoyland.

Charlie Chaplin interviewed Gandhi in London. Maybe getting some fashion ideas for his next picture.

### NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE.

ON MONDAY, THE 19TH DAY OF October, 1931, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., at the main entrance of the City Hall of the City of Daly City, No. 51 Wellington avenue, in the City of Daly City, San Mateo County, California, STANLEY ELLIS, as trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, in lawful money of the United States, the following real property situate, lying and being in the County of San Mateo, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Portion of Lot 5 in Block 14 as designated on the map entitled "Map of Subdivision No. 1, Millbrae Highlands, Millbrae, San Mateo County, California," which map was filed in the office of the Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, on April 7, 1927, in Liber 15 of Maps, at pages 48 to 52, inclusive, more particularly described as:

Beginning at a point on the northeasterly line of Magnolia avenue, distant thereon south 49° 07' east 41.03 feet from the intersection of said line with the southeasterly line of Victoria avenue, as shown on said map; thence from said point of beginning north 53° 45' east and across said Lot 5, 110.467 feet to a point on the northeasterly line of said Lot 5; thence south 54° 45' east along said northeasterly line 42.177 feet to a point thereon; thence south 53° 45' west across said Lot 5 a distance of 114.714 feet to a point on the northeasterly line of Magnolia avenue; thence north 49° 07' west along said line 41.03 feet to the point of beginning.

Said sale will be made to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in a certain deed of trust executed by SIG. J. OLAFSSON and LOUISE H. OLAFSSON (husband and wife) and ARNE M. ARNESEN and EDNA A. ARNESEN (husband and wife) to CALIFORNIA PACIFIC TITLE AND TRUST COMPANY, a corporation, as trustee for the benefit and security of C. C. SAYRE, dated February 16, 1929, and recorded March 1st, 1929, in Volume 398 of Official Records, at page 292, in the office of the Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California.

Pursuant to the power conferred in the beneficiary to change the trustee at any time, the said beneficiary, C. C. Sayre, substituted the undersigned, Stanley Ellis, as trustee in the place and stead of California Pacific Title and Trust Company, a corporation, said instrument, in writing, substituting Stanley Ellis as trustee under the aforementioned trust deed, dated September 23rd, 1931, was recorded on the 23rd day of September, 1931, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, in Volume 558 of Official Records, at page 41.

Notice of breach of said obligation and election to sell said real property was recorded in the office of the Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, on June 4th, 1931, in Volume 521 of Official Records, at page 420.

This notice is given in compliance with the demand made on said substituted trustee by C. C. Sayre, the beneficiary.

Dated this 23rd day of September, 1931.

STANLEY ELLIS,
Trustee.

EDMUND GERALD BROWN, Attorney at Law, 904 Hunter-Dulin Building, San Francisco, California.

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### NOTICE OF TRUSTEES' SALE

On Tuesday, the 20th day of October, 1931, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the front entrance of the City Hall of Daly City, No. 51 Wellington Street, Daly City, San Mateo County, State of California, the undersigned, as trustees, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, in lawful money of the United States of America, the following described real property situate, lying and being in the County of San Mateo, State of California, and particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

The Easterly Twenty-two feet (22') front and rear measurement of Lot 12, Block C, and the Westerly seven feet (7') front and rear measurement of Lot 11, Block C, as said lots and block are shown upon that certain map entitled "Mission Street Tract," filed for record in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, January 21, 1907, in Volume D of Maps at page 50.

Said sale will be made to satisfy the obligation pursuant to the power of sale conferred in a certain deed of trust executed by William F. Bernell and Gertrude Bernell, his wife, to William Evans and Ellen Evans, trustees, for the benefit and security of Evelyn A. Hannah, of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, dated March 1, 1929, and recorded March 12, 1929, in Volume 397 of Official Records, at page 416, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California; and

WHEREAS, the said Evelyn A. Hannah, the owner, holder and beneficiary of and under the said promissory note and deed of trust, did duly record a notice of breach and election to sell under deed of trust in the office of the County Recorder on the 11th day of May, 1931, in Volume 521 of Official Records, at page 265, Records of the County of San Mateo, State of California.

This notice is given in compliance with the demand of the beneficiary this day made.

Dated: September 24th, 1931.

WILLIAM EVANS, Trustee.
ELLEN EVANS, Trustee.

Samuel R. Davis, Attorney-at-Law, 519 California Street, San Francisco, California, Attorney for Trustee.

Sept. 25; Oct. 2, 9, 16, 1931.

## BURLINGAME FIRES FIGHTING FIREMEN

Burlingame's thirteen fighting volunteer firemen were ousted by the City Council last Friday night. The vote dismissing the belligerent volunteers followed the reading of their ultimatum declaring they would strike on November 15 unless the Council upheld the dismissal of Fred Strebel, who was discharged by Chief Dessen and later reinstated by the Burlingame fire commission. The Council also tied up the moneys of the department held in a widows and orphans' fund..

Thomas Lee, Burlingame butcher, acting as spokesman for the "fired" fighters, said: "We aren't going to lie down and take it. We'll tell them."

The strike ultimatum was submitted to the Council by the fire commission without recommendation. The fire commission will call for new volunteers. Meanwhile the six paid members of the department will protect Burlingame.

### NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

No. 227522.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco.

K. G. Morgan, Plaintiff, versus J. B. Rixen, Defendant.

Under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco, on the 3rd day of September, A. D. 1931, in the above entitled action, wherein K. G. Morgan, the above named plaintiff, on the 2nd day of July, A. D. 1931, recovered a judgment against J. B. Rixen, the above named defendant, for the sum of Two Thousand Two Hundred Five and 33/100 ($2205.33) Dollars, with interest thereon from the date thereof at the rate of seven per cent per annum until paid, together with costs and disbursements at the date of said judgment, amounting to the sum of $24.30, as appears to us of record; and

WHEREAS, the Judgment Roll in the action in which said judgment was entered is filed in the Clerk's office of said Court in the City and County of San Francisco, and the said judgment was docketed in said Clerk's office, in said City and County, on the 3rd day of July, 1931;

And the sum of Two Thousand Two Hundred Five and 33/100 ($2205.33) Dollars is now (at the date of this writ) actually due on said judgment. I am commanded to sell all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of Daly City, County of San Mateo, State of California, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 25, Block 15, Vista Grande No. 2, Daly City.

Public notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 20th day of October, 1931, at the hour of 10:00 A. M. of that day, at the front door of the County Court House, in the City of Redwood City, County of San Mateo, State of California, I will sell all the right, title and interest of J. B. Rixen, the above named defendant, in and to the above described real property, at public auction, for cash in lawful money of the United States of America, to the highest and best bidder, to satisfy said judgment and all costs.

JAMES J. McGRATH, Sheriff.
By C. A. CALLAGHAN,
Deputy Sheriff.

Dated at Redwood City, September 22, 1931.

Ray M. J. Greene, 305 Chancery Building, San Francisco, California, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Sept. 25; Oct. 2, 9, 16, 1931.

### NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, on the 12th day of August, 1930, Angelo Delisi and Lena Delisi, his wfe, made a certain deed of trust to Northern Counties Title Insurance Company, a corporation, as trustee, to secure the payment of one thousand eight hundred and twenty-three dollars and forty-one cents ($1823.41) to William H. Gillham and Alma Gillham, his wife, according to the terms and conditions of a certain promissory note, bearing date of August 12, 1930, and which said deed of trust was recorded on the 20th day of August, 1930, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, in Volume 496, Official Records, page 35;

WHEREAS, William H. Gillham and Alma Gillham, the beneficiaries under said deed of trust, on December 11, 1930, recorded a notice of breach of the terms of said deed of trust, and election to sell under the terms of said deed of trust, in Volume 499, Official Records, page 478 thereof, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California; and

WHEREAS, by an assignment dated August 26, 1931, William H. Gillham and Alma Gillham, his wife, assigned all their right, title and interest in said note and deed of trust to Faye Powell, which said assignment was recorded in said Recorder's office on the 16th day of September, 1931;

WHEREAS, said Faye Powell by an instrument dated September 14, 1931, appointed Vincent H. O'Donnell as trustee to take the place of Northern Counties Title Insurance Company, which said instrument was recorded in said Recorder's office on September 16, 1931;

WHEREAS, the said Faye Powell, assignee of said William Gillham and Alma Gillham, his wife, has made demand upon the undersigned, Vincent H. O'Donnell, under the power and authority conferred on him as substituted trustee under said deed of trust, to sell the real property, therein and hereinafter described, to satisfy said indebtedness;

NOW, THEREFORE, in accordance with the terms and conditions and under the authority of said deed of trust, and in pursuance of said demand, above referred to, said Vincent H. O'Donnell does hereby give notice that on Saturday, the 17th day of October, 1931, at the hour of 9 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the main entrance to the City Hall in Daly City, San Mateo County, California, he will sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in lawful money of the United States, all that certain real property, situated in the County of San Mateo, State of California, and particularly described as follows:

Lot 20 and the Southeasterly ½ front and rear measurements of Lot 19, in Block "T" as designated on the Map entitled "Map Showing Subdivision of the Property of the Mission St. Land Co. Situated in San Francisco and San Mateo Cos., Cal.", which map was filed in the office of the Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, on July 31st, 1895, in Liber "E" of Maps at page 73 and a copy entered in Liber 2 of Maps at page 73, more particularly described as:

Beginning at a point on the Southwesterly line of Shakespeare Street, distant thereon fifty (50) feet Northwesterly from the most Easterly corner of Block "T" as shown on the Map above referred to; thence Northwesterly along the Southwesterly line of Shakespeare Street thirty-seven (37) feet six (6) inches; thence at right angles Southwesterly one hundred (100) feet; thence at right angles southeasterly thirty-seven (37) feet six (6) inches; thence at right angles Northeasterly one hundred (100) feet to the point of beginning.

Dated: September 22, 1931.

VINCENT H. O'DONNELL, Trustee.
873 Mills Building, San Francisco, California.

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# One Wonderful Week

## by C. S. Forester

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### CHAPTER VII—Continued

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Hawkins seized the shrinking Harold once more by the finger, and forced him round the room. He stood him up against the fireplace. He took a length of rope from under the bed, tossed it over the spike in the wall, and fastened one end to Harold's handcuffs. He strained on the rope, pulled Harold's arms to their full stretch above his head and made it fast. Then he fastened Harold's fettered feet to the bars of the fireplace. All this without a word and with a cold-blooded efficiency which lacerated Harold's nerves. Next he struck a match and lighted the gas ring, and he rested the end of the poker in the flames. Hawkins looked round at Bauer, received a nod of approval from him, and proceded to wrench off Harold's collar and tie and to tear open his shirt and vest so that his chest was bare.

Bauer apparently considered his impassioned statement that he had put the letters in safe deposit at the bank as a clever scheme to avoid handing them over. He was between the blank wall of Bauer's skepticism and the unyielding sword blades of Hawkins' cruelty.

Hawkins took up the poker carefully. He brought the glowing end close to Harold's naked chest and once more looked round at Bauer.

"Now," said Bauer, "tell me where those letters are."

"They're at the bank," raved Harold. "Really and truly and honestly

"The Fellow Bleats Like a Calf."

they are. I've told you the truth—I've—"

"Touch him with it," said Bauer curtly, and Harold's protestations changed into a wild scream.

He tried to writhe in his bonds; from his throat there poured forth a stream of wailing, pitiful appeals. At one place his breast was smarting like fire; at another he could feel the glowing radiance of the poker, an inch from his twitching skin. Bauer's expression of merciless determination changed at last to one of baffled rage.

"The fellow bleats like a calf," he said. "Let him loose. He is speaking the truth. Take him away."

Hawkins dragged Harold from the room; when, at the foot of the stairs, Harold found that he could not mount them fettered as he was, he used the toe of his boot in an endeavor to persuade Harold to achieve the impossible, but at last he consented to free one of his feet and kicked him upstairs, into his room, onto his bed, and then once more clasped the vacant end of the handcuff to the bedrail. He delivered one more kick to the wretched Harold and then strode out of the room.

Harold lay on the bed; he did not notice the smart of the slight burn on his breast; he did not feel any ache where Hawkins had kicked him. He was too possessed by the ghastly misery of his friendless, helpless condition. He lay on the bed with his face in his handcuffed hands, and his shoulders shook as he sobbed out his misery in a torrent of real tears—tears of exhaustion and fright and misery. It was eleven years since he had last wept, but the world was so bleak and gray and cruel. And the fact that he was weeping only accentuated his appreciation of its cruelty.

Wright had seemed friendly the night before, with his kindly acts and conversation, but today all trace of his friendliness had vanished. There was no one, no one, who cared at all for Harold, and he was shut in here and unable, as a consequence of his own folly in endorsing the deposit form, to free himself at all. Soon they would torture him again. Another gust of sobbing shook Harold's exhausted frame.

Hours and hours after this the door opened quietly and shut equally quietly, the key turning in the lock with hardly a sound. Some one came and stood at Harold's bedside. Harold sensed him although he did not look up; he only turned away and moaned.

"That's all right, old man," came Wright's voice in a comforting tone. "I'm a friend, not an enemy."

Harold opened his eyes and looked at him.

"Here," said Wright, "let's get those gadgets off, and then you'll be more comfortable."

He snapped off the handcuffs from Harold's wrists and ankles, and put them in his pocket.

"Cigarette?" said Wright. "No? Don't smoke? You're lucky." He lighted a fresh cigarette at the stump of the old one, and sat down leisurely on the edge o' the bed.

"Don't shout or anything," he continued; "they won't hear us if we talk decently quietly."

Harold had not attempted to say anything at all, far less shout. The arrival of the Archangel Gabriel with all the heavenly host could not have made him more dumb; he was half choked by the strange and unjustifiable hope which was flooding up in his breast.

"D'you want to get away from here?" asked Wright, casually.

"Yes," said Harold, and even that monosyllable cost him a struggle.

"That fellow Hawkins is a cheerful beast, isn't he?" went on Wright conversationally. "Of course, he's a bit sore because you kicked him in the stomach on Sunday night, besides wetting him through an' giving him the h—l of a cold."

"Was that—was that you?" asked Harold, a note of awe in his voice.

"Of course it was. And it was jolly clever of you to have guessed we'd be coming."

Harold made no attempt at enlightening him on that point; yet all the same his spirits were immensely uplifted by this thus learning that once at least he had fought and defeated these inhuman people, and he was cheered to glory by the knowledge that he had kicked Hawkins in the stomach. Instantly, ridiculously enough, he felt a new man.

"But this isn't business," said Wright. "Let's get things fixed up. It's like this. Bauer doesn't know yet whether you're telling the truth about that deposit. We know you've put the letters somewhere. We went through your pockets last night and found—this."

He produced the leather and strap which Harold had originally received from the fainting Bauer.

"The Frankfurters may have 'em for all he knows—though I know they haven't."

The corner of Wright's mouth went up in a queer half-smile.

"What Bauer says, though, is that if the Frankfurters haven't got 'em, and they really are at your bank they can't do any harm while we hang on to you. He says that if he keeps you here for a fortnight or so on quarter rations, combined with periodical attentions from Hawkins, and you still stick to that story, he'll begin to believe you. You wouldn't like that, would you?"

Harold shuddered and turned away his face.

"So that's where I come in. The Frankfurters got at me in the street today at lunch time, and we went and had a quiet little drink to talk things over. And they offered me—certain inducements, to get you away from here. That's why I believe in your bank story. The Frankfurters don't ever give five thousand quid for nothing. That's what they're offering for your miserable body, dead or—no, they distinctly said they wanted you alive. And for five thousand quid I'd sell my chance of salvation, let alone you or the D. O. E. G. G. So I'm going to perjure my soul and double-cross the D. O. E. G. G. and get you out of here."

"But suppose—" said Harold, "suppose—"

"Suppose you won't come? Dear boy, but you will come. To start with, the Frankfurters are a cut above old Bauer in the way they treat their prisoners. It was young Kurt Rudolstein himself whom I saw—he's in London expressly about this business—and I got his solemn word that they wouldn't starve you or torture you or do anything unpleasant to you. Kurt says that all they want to do is to offer you a fair price for the letters, and he's sworn he won't try any monkey tricks. And he's an honest Jew, and I'd sooner take an honest Jew's word than—my own, for instance."

There was just a hint of bitterness in Wright's voice as he said this last. But the bitter smile on his face changed to one of merciless determination immediately.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

### Early National Marches

When Washington was first inaugurated as President in New York in 1789, the orchestra leader, a German named Pheil, at the John Street theater, composed "The President's March," in honor of George Washington, and played it when Washington attended the theater. The march immediately struck the public fancy. In the summer of 1789 a young man in the theater company, for whom a benefit concert was to be given, asked Joseph Hopkinson to write an original song for the occasion. This song, set to the tune of "The President's March," was "Hail Columbia," as we know it today. It was called "The President's March" in contradistinction to the march of the Revolution called "Washington's March."

### Ray Baths for Horses

Race horses and dogs are being treated with artificial sunlight just before they go on the track in England. Some stalls are fitted with four powerful lights, and in the rays from these the animals stand quietly while taking their "baths." Among those in the know the sunbath is considered a factor when deciding racing odds.

## Ruby Empire Gown

The period influence is pronounced in this empire gown of ruby velvet and ermine. The straight gathered skirt is interesting.

"A politician runs for office," says enfranchised Fannie, "but his ambition is to win in a walk."

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## Mother's Cook Book

How many a man has dated a new era in his life from the reading of a book. The book exists for us perchance which will explain our miracles and reveal new ones. The at present unutterable things we may find somewhere uttered. These questions which disturb and puzzle and confound us, have in their turn occurred to all wise men; not one has been omitted; and each has answered them, according to his ability, by his words and his life.—Henry Thoreau.

### QUICK DESSERT

WHEN nothing seems available for a quick dessert, are crumbled cookies or bits of cake, adding nuts and a few finely cut dates. Serve with

**Caramel Nut Sauce.**

Melt four tablespoonfuls of butter in a saucepan, and one and one-fourth cupfuls of brown sugar and two-thirds of a cupful of corn sirup, boil to a very soft ball stage or to 230 degrees F. Add three-fourths of a cupful of evaporated milk and one-half cupful of pecan meats. The nuts may be omitted when they are used in the pudding itself.

Cookies for picnics should be of the durable variety, which packs well. Bake them any time and pack in a box that may be carried right along to the picnic. These are a kind that will be liked:

**Orange Bread.**

Mix and sift three cupfuls of flour, six teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one-half teaspoonful of salt, then add one egg beaten, one and one-half cupfuls of milk, three-fourths cupful of sugar, one-half cupful of candied orange peel chopped fine, with the juice and thin rind of an orange. Chop the rind.

**Lemon Sirup.**

Add the juice of six lemons to the grated rind of one, four cupfuls of sugar and two cupfuls of water. Boil together for ten minutes, cool bottle and place in the ice chest. When serving use one to three tablespoonfuls of the sirup with chipped ice and cold water. This is ever ready lemonade.

**Energy Salad.**

Arrange three leaves of lettuce on a salad plate, add three dates, one tablespoonful of raisins, three tablespoonfuls of cottage cheese, three almonds and three pecans with one slice of pineapple. With bread and butter or hard crackers, this makes a good luncheon with any fruit juice for a drink except grape fruit juice.

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## Signs of Relief

## SUPERSTITIOUS SUE

**SHE HAS HEARD THAT—**

**If a Jane wants to lasso a "steady," just wear some duds of the following color schemes:**

**"Red and yellow, catch a fellow.**
**Pink and blue, he'll be true.**
**Black and white, hold him tight."**

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If dogs bay the moon, and many dogs do, there must be a cat there.

## What Do We Care?

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

WHAT do you care if skies are gray?
Even the best ones get that way.
What do you care if gold takes wings?
Even the rich man's does such things.
What do you care if plans go wrong?
Maybe you thought so all along.
What do you care (and you do, no doubt),
What is all of the care about?

What do you care the most of all?
It isn't winter, it can't be fall.
What do you care in your heart of hearts?
It can't be money, when that departs.
What do you care when you care a lot?
Not if you have your way or not.
What do you care, and I know you do,
Just as long as I care for you?

What do you care? For I believe
Just as much, though the rest deceive.
What do you care? Not much endures,
But whatever I have is yours.
What do you care? You care for me,
And I for you, as it's plain to see.
So it's all right here, and it's all right there,
So whatever happens, what do we care?

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## BEDTIME STORY FOR CHILDREN

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

### PETER RABBIT THINKS THINGS OVER

PETER RABBIT sat looking over his shoulder mournfully. He was looking at that funny little tail of his, which, since Old Man Coyote had pulled a tuft of hair out of the middle of it, looked funnier than ever. You know that tail always has worried Peter. If Peter ever is envious it is when he sees some one with a beautiful tail. It was bad enough to have nothing but a little white bunch for a tail, and now to have that torn and ragged—oh dear! Peter felt so badly that he almost forgot to be thankful that it was only his tail and not he himself that Old Man Coyote had got hold of.

But Peter isn't the kind to worry for very long over things that cannot be helped. "The hair will grow out

The Little Stars Looked Down on Him and Winked and Twinkled.

again and then my tail such as it is, will be as good as ever. Besides, when I am sitting on it no one can see it," thought he.

So he stopped worrying about his tail and began to think over the warning Old Man Coyote had given him.

"He says I've got to get him a fat goose to make up for the one I cheated him out of by waking Honker and his followers over there in the pond of Paddy the Beaver or else I never will get back to the dear Old Brier Patch," thought Peter. "He knows very well that I couldn't get him a fat goose if I would and that I wouldn't if I could. It's just his way of telling me that he is bound to get even with me and that he's made up his mind to catch me. Probably he's hiding somewhere along the way to the dear Old Brier Patch this very minute.

"Now, if it were Reddy Fox, I wouldn't mind so much. But Old Man Coyote is so very smart and clever that I'll have to use all my wits to keep out of his way. I could fool Reddy, but I'm not so sure about Old Man Coyote. He knows I can't stay here forever. There isn't enough to eat in this old bramble-tangle. And he knows, too, that I will want to get back to Mrs. Peter. She'll be worried most to death. Peter, you've certainly got yourself into a peck of trouble this night. It won't be safe for you to poke your nose outside of this bramble-tangle tonight, that's sure. But you're glad you saved those geese even if it did get you into a heap of trouble. Now you've got to think of some way to get out of it.

So Peter made himself as comfortable as possible and settled down to do some hard thinking. The little stars looked down to him and winked and twinkled, which was their way of trying to tell him to keep his courage up. And so the night passed. The little stars winked themselves out and disappeared. The Black Shadows retreated deeper and deeper into the Green Forest until at last the first Jolly Little Sunbeam came stealing along and crept into the old bramble-tangle and kissed Peter on the nose. Day had come and still he had thought of no plan to get safely back to the dear Old Brier Patch. It was time he was there now and little Mrs. Peter would begin to worry.

"Perhaps," thought Peter, "Old Man Coyote was just trying to scare me. Usually he spends the day in his house up in the Old Pasture. But you never can tell what he'll do. I wish I had wings and could fly. I wish—hello! What's Sammy Jay making such a fuss about?"

Peter pricked up his ears and listened. Finally there came to him the harsh voice of Sammy Jay. "Thief! Thief! Thief!" screamed Sammy, and his voice came from over near the edge of the Green Forest. Peter sighed.

"I guess there is nothing to do but to stay right there," he muttered. "Sammy has found Old Man Coyote hiding over there. I know it just as well as if I were there and could see him with my own eyes. Sammy always screams that way when he sees Old Man Coyote. I guess he did mean what he said after all."

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## Beige Is Now Combined With Different Colors

Now that beige has come back into fashion, there are any number of ways of achieving the most effective results by combining it with different colors. Recently an extremely smart tailored suit of beige wool was completed by a black hat, black bag and black shoes, with stockings of beige and a plaid scarf of beige and black. The whole costume had infinite distinction.

## RADIO QUEEN

Harriet Lee, blond and stately was the choice of the judges in the third annual search for the most beautiful radio artist in America, held in connection with the radio-electric world's fair. Miss Lee's mellow contralto voice has been featured on programs over the Columbia network for the two years.

## Elaborate Fad of a Wealthy Western Man

PROBABLY the most complete miniature village in the United States, this tiny settlement near Denver is a source of much pleasure to its owner and builder, George Turner, millionaire business man of Denver. Several years' time and a large amount of money were spent in bringing the Lilliputian village to completion. It includes beautiful little lakes spanned by bridges, a complete municipal lighting system, miniature residences, store buildings, barber shop, garages, a railroad station, and most of the other establishments to be found in a flourishing town. The buildings are all from four to six feet in height.

## UNIFORM TRAFFIC SIGNALS SOUGHT

Standardization of traffic signals throughout the state is the objective sought in a vigorous campaign initiated by the California Committee on Public Safety at the last meeting of the executive committee. To make a careful study and prepare a definate plan of action, a special committee was appointed by chairman E. B. Lefferts. Not only data relative to California streets and highways will be obtained but detailed information about how traffic is handled in other states through automatic signals.

In the absence of any uniform standard no less than eight methods have been developed in this state for giving the same indications of "stop" and "go." In addition to this there are various methods employed involving the location of signals.

The difference in methods employed for "stop" and "go" signals is only one angle leading to confusion. Studies so far made show that there already are an undesirable percentage of signals that should not have been installed. Lack of uniformity also has a material affect in increasing the accident toll.

According to the opinion of traffic experts in the meeting, California shows a greater lack of uniformity of signal types and locations than any other state in the country.

It is believed that motorists generally would welcome automatic traffic signals being made uniform. As they are at present, there are so many different types coming into existence that the motorist does not know what to look for. This confusion has a tendency to create accidents. It is pointed out that there are the same advantages in uniform traffic signals that are had with uniform traffic laws. A different type of signal in each town is as confusing to motorists as a different set of laws. Standard signal types could be adopted as easily in the various communities as was the Uniform Traffic Law which is now in effect in all the important cities and towns of the state.

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## OPERATORS STAY AT POST WHILE BUILDING FLAMES

Despite the fact that thick smoke swirled about them and that the flames crackled only a few feet away, three operators of the Texas City Telephone Company stuck to their switchboard the other day during a fire which badly damaged a portion of the telephone building.

The girls were Miss Thelma Dyess and Miss Eva Ottman, who at one time was overcome and had to be carried from the building and revived, only to rejoin the third operator, Miss Leona Lawrence, at the switchboard. The fire was discovered by Miss Dyess while she was operating the switchboard. Miss Lawrence, who lives about a block away from the telephone office, rushed to the building to assist, as soon as she heard the alarm, while Miss Ottman, who has an apartment in the telephone building, hurried to take her place at the switchboard, leaving to others the task of saving her own belongings.

It may sound reactionary, but if some of the primitive justice formerly meted out to cattle rustlers and horse thieves were revived it might perceptibly check the ever increasing crime wave.

# NOTICE

## To Taxpayers County Taxes 1931.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the taxes on all Personal Property, secured by Real Property, and one-half of the taxes on all Real Property will be due and payable October 21, the third Wednesday in October, 1931, and will be

**Delinquent on December 5th, the first Saturday in December, 1931, at 12 o'clock M.,**

and unless paid prior thereto, 10 per cent will be added to the amount thereof. If the first installment of said taxes be not paid before April 20th, 1932, at 5 o'clock P. M., an additional 5 per cent will be added to the amount thereof. The remaining one-half of the taxes on all Real Property will be payable on or after January 20th next thereafter and delinquent on April 20th, 1932, at 5 o'clock P. M., and unless paid prior thereto 5 per cent will be added to the amount thereof. All taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

The County Tax Collector will be at the Bank of America, Daly City, to collect taxes on Thursday, November 12th, from 9 A. M. to 3:30 P. M. Taxes may be paid on any day at my office, except Sundays and holidays, in Redwood City, at the Court House, between the hours of 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Send description of your property when asking for tax statement. Notify this office of your change of address.

Address all communications regarding County Taxes to

**A. McSWEENEY,**
County Tax Collector, Redwood City.

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| The following is the tax rates per $100 valuation | 4.878 |
| With Colma Sewer Maintenance .38c added | 5.258 |
| Jefferson Outside (outside the City Limits of Daly City) the rates are | 5.848 |
| With Colma Sewer rate deducted | 5.468 |
| With Lights and Sewer rates deducted | 5.278 |

## FISH AND GAME NOTES

By J. H. NEUSTADT

Regardless of safety warnings that have been broadcast from time to time, hunting accidents are on the increase in California, according to figures tabulated by the Division of Fish and Game. In a table just completed by the bureau of education and research, it is revealed that 127 persons were the victims of hunting accidents during the season of 1930. This is an increase of 18 in comparison with the season of 1929.

The table also shows that during the past season 33 persons were killed and 94 wounded. In the number of self-inflicted accidents 17 proved fatal and 58 were non-fatal. Sixteen were killed in accidents inflicted by others and 26 were non-fatal. Nine persons were killed while hunting unknown game and 42 were wounded. Most of these accidents could have been avoided by the elimination of carelessness, Division officials declare. Every hunter should be thoroughly instructed in the handling of firearms before attempting to go into the field.

It is absolutely against the law to import or transplant fish in the state of California without the authority of the Division of Fish and Game. Occasionally reports come to the Division that persons or organizations are contemplating such planting activities. Little thought seems to be given to the damage that might accrue from such plantings, according to fish culturists.

In regard to the subject, the executive officer of the Division of Fish and Game said: "Our native fish and game must be protected against undesirable species from other states and countries. Carp were enthusiastilcally introduced into California in the belief that great benefits to the state would follow. The destruction of good fishing and the nuisance they have created are familiar to all, yet these fish are still being carelessly added to new waters in the state.

California laws are strict and definite. No fish, fish eggs, or aquatic plants or seeds may be legally brought into the state for the purpose of propagation without proper notice to the Division of Fish and Game, followed by an inspection of the proposed introduction. The Division may destroy diseased shipments, and cause reshipment or destruction of deleterious fish, eggs, aquatic plants or seeds.

Division officials declare that all sportsmen and public spirited organizations should co-operate in the eradication of such mistakes. With full co-operation it is possible to keep such dangerous practices down to a minimum.

## WISDOM FROM THE EAST

Addressing a world conference of missionaries, Rev. Harris Kirk, of Baltimore, declared that "heathens have good reason for disliking civilization, because it always introduces the vices and evils of civilized countries."

He also predicted that the world will eventually look to the Orient for political and moral leadership.

Many missionaries have complained of increasing difficulties since the world war, owing to the bad impression created by so-called Christian nations engaging in that unholy orgy of death and destruction.

Even in peace times it can not be denied that the prevalence of crime, especially in the United States, is a rather sorry example to hold up to the heathen. No wonder they are skeptical of Western culture and religion, when such fruits are borne by our vaunted white civilization.

Alluding to this phase of the problem, Robert Doan of Columbus expressed the view that "practicing Christianity at home is more essential than preaching it abroad."

Rev. Kirk is no doubt sound in his idea that we have much to learn of philosophy and true morality from some of the Eastern peoples. The Orientals have been from time immemorial given to serious meditation on these problems.

We might also remember that Christianity like all other principal religions of the world, had its beginning in Asia.

## FACTS ABOUT THE TELEPHONE

All of down-town Detroit is now served by dial telephones.

There has been an increase of 132 per cent in the number of telephones installed in the City of Tucson, Ariz., during the last ten years.

New York City's sixty-fifth dial central office was placed in service recently when 5,000 telephones, located principally in the area east of Park Avenue between 103rd and 121st streets, were transferred from manual to dial operation.

Mrs. Catherine O'Brien of Duluth, Minn., claimed that Thomas Kelly's dog bit her, but her claim was disproved when it was established that the dog had lost all his teeth.

## LACK UNIFORMITY IN TRAFFIC CODES

"This country still lacks any great amount of uniformity in both traffic codes and traffic law enforcement," declares H. F. Loomis, Buick Motor Company executive.

In urging speedy adoption of a nationally uniform system of traffic control, Mr. Loomis said: "State legislatures have considered adoption of the code as it is now recommended, for the better control of traffic and the increasing safety of both pedestrians and motorists. Seven states thus far in 1931 have made changes in their traffic codes which have increased the speed of passenger carrying vehicles. These are Delaware, which has raised its maximum from 35 to 40 miles an hour; Iowa, where bus speed has been raised to 40 miles an hour; Massachusetts, with a maximum prima facie speed boost of from 20 to 30 miles an hour; Nevada, which has removed its former 50 miles limit; Rhode Island and West Virginia, the latter increasing its speed to 40 miles and hour. Utah, in addition to this list, has adopted by legislative action the recommended uniform traffic code, raising its speed from 30 to 45 miles an hour, such legislation to become effective January 1, 1932.

"Some states have removed the speed limit entirely on the open highway, and to offset any undesirable features have increased the penalty for and the enforcement of statutes covering reckless driving. Michigan was the first state to take this action, closely followed by Connecticut. Both agree that traffic conditions have been improved, and, with proper enforcement, accidents can be reduced.

"The first move in creating a universal traffic control system should be the adoption of a single series of hand signals with which the driver imparts his next move to other motorists. There still remains an unusual amount of public education to be done in many states and cities. The week end tourist who cuts in and out of traffic, the road hog who hugs the highway's center, the careless get-there-quick driver who passes on the right, and the slow moving driver should be made to consider the rights of others and respect them."

## ELECTRIC SERVICE CUSTOMERS SHOW ENORMOUS INCREASE

Recent statistical reports issued by the National Electric Light Association show that electric service customers in the United States number 24,664,000. This is twelve times as many customers as were served in 1907. More than 68 per cent of the nation's homes now have electrical service.

According to a survey made by the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, the Pacific Coast shows the closest approach to complete residential electrification.

The national report shows that the average cost of electricity for home use throughout the country is today 28 per cent below pre-war prices. This is in contrast to general living costs which, even in the face of present conditions are substantially above pre-war costs. It is pointed out that the average price for domestic electric current today is 6.04 cents per kilowatt hour in contrast with 8.5 cents in 1913. This decrease represents a saving of at least $290,000,000 to the country's home consumers in 1930 as compared with what they would have paid under the 1913 rate.

Comparison of this national figure with California figures shows that the charge to domestic consumers in this state even for the first block for domestic use in the Pacific Gas and Electric Company system, is lower than the national average. Use of electricity has, of course, increased enormously with the reduction of rates, the result being that the majority of consumers in California reach into the quality schedules and the average rate is therefore far below the national figure.

## COMMERCIAL VEHICLE LIGHT RULES EXPLAINED

With closer check-ups of lights being made by the California Highway Patrol and the local enforcement officers, many inquiries are coming to the California State Automobile Association relative to what is proposed, particularly regarding the illumination of commercial vehicles.

In order that everyone may understand the law, the following brief resume has been prepared by the Association's legal department.

Whenever any vehicle carries a load extending four feet or more beyond the rear or bed of the body, there must be displayed during darkness at the end of the load two red lights which must be plainly visible for at least 500 feet to the sides and rear in clear weather. These are now required in addition to the regular tail light.

Clearance lamps are required on all vehicles at night having a load width or body in excess of 80 inches, except on road construction machinery and farm tractors. These must be visible for 500 feet to the front and left side of the vehicle in normal atmospheric conditions and must be located on the front and left rear. These front and rear clearance lamps must cast a blue light. Trailers must also have such front and rear clearance lamps.

Front clearance lamps on passenger common carriers shall be green on the left front and red on the left rear.

## NEW UNDERGROUND PHONE CABLE PLACED ON COAST

A new underground telephone cable has been constructed between Seattle and Everett, a distance of thirty miles. This is the longest underground telephone cable in the State of Washington, and through it telephone conversations now pass between Seattle and cities to the north—Vancouver, B. C., Victoria, Bellingham and other places located between Puget Sound and the Cascades.

The laying of this cable was a difficult engineering task, as quicksands, bogs, underground streams, hard rock, great stumps, roots and other construction bogies were encountered to a surprising extent, with the result that a crew averaging 150 men a day worked for a full year, aided by machinery, to dig the trench and lay the conduit.

Belgium, with 660 persons to the square mile, has the densest population of any European country.

## SHOW BOAT EXCURSION PLANNED BY THE DRUIDS

A gala "Show Boat" excursion will be given on the Bay on Sunday, October 18, by the Druids, with Arch Druidess Speranza Camous acting as general hostess. Entertainment and games of all kinds will be provided. Alvin Giacomini has procured a fine orchestra which will furnish music for the dancing.

Ellis Levy promises a spectacular performance, with some of the beautiful young girls from the RKO circuit in their singing and dancing specialties.

Diversions galore, with races and novel pastimes have been arranged by a committee headed by Joe Varni, James Coughlin and Walter Bertlesen. The youngsters and their elders will have something to amuse them every minute of the trip. Candy and smokes will be plentiful, for Charlie Goodan has taken charge of this angle. Basket lunches may be brought, but a hot lunch will be served for those desiring it.

The fraternal spirit will prevail, for many notable Druids from all parts of the state will be on board, including State Treasurer Charles Johnson, Martin I. Welsh of Sacramento, Judge George J. Steiger, Jr., and Alexander Mosslin. Past Grand Arch Druidess Pearl Hickey of Petaluma will greet the visitors from Sonoma and Marin counties. Bakersfield will send an enthusiastic contingent.

## NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, W. P. Henry and Maud Henry, his wife, heretofore executed and delivered a certain deed of trust, dated December 23, 1930, to Pacific States Auxiliary Corporation, as trustee, to secure the payment of a promissory note to Pacific States Savings and Loan Company, a corporation, and also all other indebtendness agreed by said deed of trust to be secured, which said deed of trust was recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, in Volume 513 of Official Records, at page 17; and

WHEREAS, default having been made in the payment of said promissory note according to its terms, Pacific States Savings and Loan Company, the owner and holder of said note and beneficiary under said deed of trust, recorded on April 6, 1931, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of San Mateo, State of California, in Volume 521 of Official Records, at page 59, a notice of breach and of its election to cause all of the property under said deed of trust to be sold to satisfy the obligation thereunder; and

WHEREAS, more than three months have elapsed since said recording of said notice of breach and election to sell, and said Pacific States Savings and Loan Company has demanded that the undersigned, as trustee, sell the property included in said deed of trust, pursuant to the terms thereof and the provisions of the law;

WHEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to said demand and the terms of said deed of trust, that the undersigned, as trustee thereunder, will sell without warranty on Monday, the 9th day of November, 1931, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., at the City Hall, Daly City, San Mateo County, California, at public auction, to the highest cash bidder, as an entirety, all the property described in said deed of trust, situate in the City of Daly City, County of San Mateo, State of California, and more particularly described as follows:

Lot Numbered Twenty-one (21) in Block Numbered Thirteen (13) as shown on that certain map entitled "Map of the Crocker Estate Tract Subdivision No. 1", filed in the office of the County Recorder of San Mateo County June 1, 1908, in Book 6 of Maps at page 16.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash, United States gold coin, payable at time of sale.

Dated: September 28, 1931.

(SEAL.)

PACIFIC STATES AUXILIARY CORPORATION, Trustee.
By HAROLD ROPERS,
Assistant Secretary.

John L. Mace, Attorney at Law, 745 Market Street, San Francisco, California.

Oct. 16, 23, 30, 1931.

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# DALY CITY

## NEWS NOTES OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Mrs. E. O'Brien, of San Francisco, visited her daughter, Mrs. Farrell, of Gambetta street, last Wednesday.

Mrs. William McGee, of Oakland, spent last week end as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Fields, of Parkview avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Murphy and little daughter Betty spent last week end as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Fields, of Parkview avenue.

Harold McPhederain, of San Francisco, spent last Monday evening as the guest of his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth McPhederain, of Risel street.

The next rehearsal of the singing mothers of the combined P. T. A. will be held at St. Paul's church, Burlingame, at 10 o'clock next Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Coulter and family, of Acton avenue, sold their home and have moved to a new home in Richmond, where Mr. Coulter is employed at the Ford plant.

Hillcrest Circle No. 143, United Ancient Order of Druids, will hold a whist in Masonic Hall, Monday evening, October 26. Don't forget the date. Mrs. F. Foreman, chairman.

Mrs A. B. Farrell (formerly Lucille O'Brien) moved back to her childhood home on Gambetta street several weeks ago.

Miss Evelyn Ferrera, of San Francisco, spent last week end as the house guest of her friend Martha Page, of San Diego avenue.

Mrs. C. Page, of San Diego avenue, motored to Colusa county and spent last week end with Mr. Page, who has been employed there for some time.

The Woodrow Wilson home service department will meet at the home of Mrs. Lucy Nelson, on Willits street, October 22. You are invited to come and join the department.

Mrs. Hans Evans, of Winchester street, returned home on Thursday of last week from a visit of seventeen days duration with relatives in San Diego and Long Beach.

Mrs. A. Hansen, of Acton avenue, returned from San Diego on Thursday evening of last week, after having spent three weeks visiting with relatives and friends. Mr. Hansen, who had been in San Diego for the past month on a business trip, returned with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed O'Connor, of Bellevue avenue, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. R. Foppiano, of Evergreen avenue, motored to Lompico last Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Augustien, of Mission street, was a dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mal Tacchi, of South San Francisco, Thursday of last week.

John Joseph Fahey, of Irvington street, was among the young aspirants who passed the examination to practice law in California. The examinations were held during the early part of last week.

After witnessing the St. Marys-West Coast Army game Sunday afternoon at Kezar stadium, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Connor, of Oakland, were among the dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Helena O'Cononr.

Mrs. Nell Caine, of Bellevue avenue, entertained a group of her friends at luncheon on Friday of last week. Among the guests were Mrs. Anne Coulter, Mrs. L. Davis, Mrs. Julia Byrne and Mrs. Anne Eason.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wall and Mrs. Sam Valentino and daughter Betty Lorraine, and Mr. and Mrs. George Lagomarsino and sons were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lorenz last Sunday evening.

Mrs. Myron Alexander, of 976 Fifty-seventh street, Oakland, formerly residing on Hanover street, Daly City, was a welcome dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. McDermott, of Templeton avenue, last Tuesday.

The next meeting and social of La Fiesta Club will be held Thursday evening, October 29, at the home of Mrs. Lorraine Wall, on Bellevue avenue. Mrs. Wall will be assisted in entertaining by Miss Audrey Diamond, of San Francisco.

The members of the General Pershing Parent-Teachers' Association wish to announce that they will hold a whist game in the Crocker club rooms at 12 Wellington avenue, on the evening of November 14. This is to be a turkey whist.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Wegner, of Crocker avenue, spent last Tuesday as the guests of Chief Engineer Knaack on board the S. S. Portland, in Alameda. This steamer plys between Hamburg, Germany, and San Francisco, via the Panama Canal.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Schultz, of Hillcrest Drive, are receiving the congratulations of their many friends upon the birth of a son, Thursday of last week, in St. Joseph's hospital. Mother and baby are doing very nicely at present writing.

Miss Myrtle Saylor, of Twelfth avenue, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. G. R. Augustien, of Mission street, and Mrs. Jean O'Rourk and Miss Ursla Healey, motored to Reno last Saturday, and on their return trip will visit at Lake Tahoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wall, Mrs. Henry Lorenz and Misses Tessie O'Connor and Alice Lorenz enjoyed the football game Sunday at Kezar stadium, between St. Marys and the West Coast Arm team, the former winning their third game of the present season.

Mrs. J. E. Walker, of Frankfort street, has returned to her home after a visit of a month's duration with her mother in Minneapolis. Mrs. Walker's mother has been seriously ill for some time, but at present writing is convalescing slowly but surely.

Last Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wall entertained several relatives at a dinner party at their home on Bellevue avenue. Those enjoying Mr. and Mrs. Wall's hospitality were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lorenz, Mr. Herman Lorenz, Mr. Henry Lorenz, Jr., and Miss Alice Lorenz.

Dr. F. P. Callsen, of Santa Barbara avenue, and Stephen Pfeiffer, of Niantic avenue, spent a most enjoyable afternoon last Sunday at Kezar stadium, in San Francisco, where they witnessed the football classic between the St. Marys and the West Coast Army football teams.

Miss Gwendolyn McLaughlin and her sister Miss Gladyse, of Los Angeles, formerly residing on Woodrow street, Daly City, have returned from Los Angeles, following the death of their beloved mother, who passed away about three weeks ago. They will make their home in San Francisco.

The meeting of the Happy Ramblers was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Stevens, of Winchester street last Wednesday evening, all the members being in attendance. And by the way, the next time that "Laura" and Melba giggle in the meeting, they'll be put in the "dog house," with George for guard. So, be careful, girls.

The next meeting of the Jefferson High School Parent-Teachers' Association will be held at the school on Tuesday evening, October 20. All parents and friends are cordially invited to come and enjoy the delightful and short program which has been arranged for the occasion. After the business session, refreshments will be served. The Association wishes to thank the teachers, the members and friends who so ably assisted in making the bundle drive such a success.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Michel, of Niagara street, in San Francisco, who formerly resided on Bepler street, Daly City, will hear with pleasure that they are the proud and happy parents of a son, born on September 24. The baby has been named James, Jr., after his daddy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Fields, of Parkview avenue, Mr. and Mrs. T. Murphy, of Oakland, and Mr. and Mrs. William McGee, of Oakland, attended the German dance held in California Hall last Sunday evening. The group were accompanied by Miss Vera Conci, Miss Mary Kennedy, Miss Myrtle Augustien and Mike Malatowski.

On November 13 the members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Grace Presbyterian church will hold their bazaar and food sale in the sewing room. The members don't seem to consider Friday, the 13th, a jinx at all. Be sure and call on them and see the lovely hand work they have for sale. Christmas shop with them.

The "Gleaner Girls," members of the Young Ladies' Mutual Improvement Association of the Balboa ward, enjoyed an evening of swimming at Lurline Baths, in San Francisco, on Thursday evening of last week, after which the group returned to the home of Mrs. Foster Merrill, of Peoria street, where the hostess served delicious refreshments.

On Sunday afternoon, October 25, in the Woodland open air theatre at Hillsborough, the combined orchestras of the high schools of San Mateo county will hold a band concert. Tickets are now on sale and can be purchased from the presidents of the various Parent-Teachers' Associations in Daly City. Admission for adults, 25 cents; school children 10 cents.

A whist party, under the auspices of the members of Court St. Mary No. 1155, Catholic Daughters of America, will be held on Friday evening, October 30, in the parish hall of Our Lady of Perpetual Help church, on Wellington avenue, Daly City. The game will start at 8:30 o'clock. Come and enjoy a pleasant evening. Mrs. Angela Johnson is in charge of this affair.

The members of the Woodrow Wilson Parent-Teachers' Association will hold their next regular meeting in the kindergarten room of the Woodrow Wilson school. The members of this unit are making an earnest effort to build the membership up to one hundred. They extend a cordial invitation to all who are interested to come and join at this meeting. Visitors are welcome at all times.

On Saturday evening, October 10, a group of friends who had planned a surprise for Mrs. McKee, of 279 Irvington street, successfully carried out their plans, the event being in celebration of Mrs. McKee's birthday. The evening was spent in playing Dutch whist, games and stunts. A wonderful supper was served, and in the we sma' hours all left declaring that they had spent a very enjoyable evening. A very beautiful coffee table was presented to Mrs. McKee during the evening. Those who took part in the surprise party were Mr. and Mrs. George W. McIsaac, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKee, Jr., Mrs. Helen Cohn, Miss Alice Ghent, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Niederhaus, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. James Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Ghent, Mr. Stewart Ghent, Mr. Harland Stoddard and Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKee, Sr.

Don't forget the homeless children's whist party that is being sponsored by members of El Carmelo Parlor No. 181, Native Daughter of the Golden West, at the Masonic Hall, Daly City, Wednesday evening, October 21. Mrs. Anderson and her committee are working very hard for this worthy cause in an endeavor to make it a success. Also don't forget the turkey whist party and dance that the members of the drill team of El Carmelo Parlor will give on Wednesday evening, November 18, at the Masonic Hall, for the benefit of El Carmelo Parlor. Miss Collista Dalton is chairman of the November whist, assisted by members of the drill team, who are working hard to make this the success that their affairs usually are. Remember the two dates at Masonic Hall, October 21 and November 18. A good time is assured at both of these affairs.

### CROCKER P. T. A. MEMBERS PLAN SOCIAL ON OCTOBER 28

Last Tuesday the members of the Crocker Parent-Teachers' Association held their regular monthly meeting in their club rooms at 12 Wellington avenue. Mrs. Joseph Franzien, of Bayshore Association, gave a short talk on "Safety." After a brisk business meeting, delicious refreshments were enjoyed by all present.

A basket social and entertainment is scheduled to take place on the evening of October 28, in the club rooms, sponsored by the General Pershing and Crocker Associations. The entertainment will be put on by the Market Street Railway program committee. The public is invited to attend. Bring a lunch for two. Coffee will be served by the committee in charge of the affair. After the entertainment there will be dancing and indoor games. Admission 50 cents a couple.

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### INTERESTING SERMON AT LOCAL METHODIST CHURCH

"Heaven's Gift to the Heathen," is the title of the third sermon in a series on "The Message of Jesus to Modern Men," being presented by the pastor at the Daly City Methodist church. Too often the church is called visionary and impractical. These sermons are an attempt to deal with life situations as they are found in this day and place. They are an attempt to discover what Jesus has to say to some of our neighbors and friends. While calling upon the people of Daly City, the minister meets altogether to many heathen. Though some of them might not like to be so classified. In considering the pagan who lives either in the United States or on foreign shores, one can not but hear the echo of Jesus' voice, "No man cometh unto the Father but by me." We hear much of the roads leading to the same place and reward. But Jesus said there was but one, and that a straight and narrow way, and few are they who find it. "He that hath ears to hear, let him hear."

The ladies of the Methodist community church are giving a "Baked Ham dinner" on Wednesday, October 21, from 5:30 to 7 P. M.

### CYPRESS CIRCLE, U. A. O. D. SPONSORING WHIST PARTY

Cypress Circle No. 14, U. A. O. D., is sponsoring a big whist party on Wednesday evening, October 28, at 8:30 o'clock, sharp, in Colombo Hall, Colma, under the direction of the following committee: Mrs. Margaret Steele, chairlady, assisted by the following officers and members: Mesdames Savage, R. Volkman, J. Fellman, M. Fellman, M. Heringher, Mr. Conserver, C. Bennascini, H. Lillis, R. Morton, E. Woolsey, P. Brown, E. Schwartz, Briggio, W. Schmidt, F. Volkman, J. Bennascini, J. Sturla, M. May, S. Fulmer, J. Green, B. Grady, M. Lorenz and T. Horkey; Misses C. Schwartz, E. Mooney and M. Grady, who are earnestly working to make this party a big success, and extend to one and all a cordial invitation to attend.

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Evening Worship, 7:45 P. M.
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"Why so blue, Rastus?"

"Ah done lost mah chickens.

"Don't worry, they go home to roost."

"Dat's de trouble, boss, they went."

A Kansas editor's definition of a woman is someone who reaches for a chair when answering the telephone.

Then there was the absent-minded Scotchman who ordered asparagus and left a tip.

greatest water power?"

Dad: "Woman's tears."

Son: "What is the

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Mrs. Helphurcat: "Do you know, doctor, I believe that my husband's trouble arises from his nose."

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Mrs. Helphurcat: "Yes; many times."

Who remembers when a bath room didn't look like a branch drug store?

"Don't talk to me about lawyers, my dear. I've had so much trouble over the property that I sometimes wish my husband hadn't died."

If all most of us had lost in life was money, we would feel we had gotten off cheap.

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